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Accused Murderer Has Mind of Child Declares Counsel

This Urged in Defense of Frank Smith, Alleged Slayer of Wm. Funkhouser in Shelby County—Defendant Sobs Aloud.

ADMITS MURDER.

Shelbyville, Dec 12.—Sheriff Harry Riley received a telegram Friday afternoon from N A Barger, sheriff of Cleveland Tenn that the latter had under arrest Sam Houston colored alias Harry Cornell alias "Gray Eye," and that the man has admitted the murder of William Funkhouser Sheriff Riley will leave at once for Cleveland Tenn to get Houston

BY MARY SEAMAN

[illegible] Negro [illegible] court [illegible] William Funkhouser [illegible] has but the [illegible] of counsel [illegible] his statement to [illegible]

[illegible] OBTAINED

[illegible]

[illegible] the defense [illegible] He said that instead of a powerful inhuman brute he had found Smith a dwarf with the intellect of a ten year old child and that penniless helpless and friendless he appeared in court to defend his life

Mr Baker then told the story of the crime as he understood it with Smith forced to do the bidding of the larger and more powerful Gray Eye when he described as the actual [illegible] Smith [illegible]

At the [illegible] Attorney Baker [illegible] adjourned until 8:30 Friday morning when the taking of testimony began

DEFENDANT SOBS

While his counsel told of the killing of Mr Funkhouser Smith the Negro abandoned his stolid demeanor sat and cried openly at times sobbing aloud

Smith was more at ease throughout the day Thursday and had less of the frightened look he carried the first day when he entered the court room to plead not guilty He gave the questions and answers more attention than on Wednesday but his nervousness is expressed in the constant movement of his feet pers [illegible]

VICTIM'S SON WATCHES

George Funkhouser son of the murdered man sat with the state's attorney and seldom [illegible] his eyes away from the face of the defendant negro

Coles county men who were absent from the court room Thursday forenoon were back again in the afternoon watching the case with all the attention of the day before and as [illegible] talesman was examined they paid the closest attention to his answers

Men from Windsor and Asa Grove townships [illegible] neighborhood in which Mr Funkhouser was killed crowded the court room Thursday afternoon [illegible] before the hour set for the resumption of examination of talesmen

[illegible]

MAN SUFFOCATES IN HOTEL FIRE

Chicago Dec 12.—One man met death by suffocation and a number of other lodgers escaped in scanty attire and lost their personal effects early today when fire swept through the Westgate hotel a three story wooden structure in the far south side Smoking by a lodger is believed to have caused the fire

Simon Weel [illegible] was the victim who was trapped on the second floor He was dead when firemen reached him

Most of the lodgers are employes of the International Harvester company

The damage to the building and contents was estimated at between $15,000 and $20,000

REPORT MANCHURIA PLANS WAR DRIVE

Peking Dec 12—(AP)—It is understood that General Chang Tso Lin the Manchurian war lord is placing 10,000 troops at the disposal of General Lu Yung Hsiang military governor of Chekiang for an expedition against General Chi Hsieh Yuan military governor of Kiangsi One brigade has already been started toward Nanking

HUGHES GIVES DIRECT CHECK TO BRITISH

U. S. Note to London Defends War Claims.

Washington Dec 12.—The American reply to the British note questioning the right of the United States to collect war claims from Germany out of receipts received by that country under the Dawes plan has been dispatched to Ambassador Kellogg in London for delivery to the foreign office

The reply [illegible] by Secretary Hughes is understood to fully support the position that the Washington government has every right accorded to the Allied and Associated [illegible]

[illegible] MAKE [illegible]

[illegible] question [illegible] in Washington and London Meanwhile state department officials declined flatly to comment on the note or even admit that it had been placed on the cables for transmission to London

Inquiry among government officials as to the possibility of submission of the claims question to an international court failed to reveal receipt of any intimation from British sources that such a step was to be expected It is known on the one hand that Secretary Hughes believes the matter will be adjusted by the two governments [illegible]

DELIVERS REPLY

[illegible] Kellogg reported to the state department today that he had delivered to the British foreign office the American reply to the communication from the London government questioning the right of the United States to collect war claims from Germany from money received by the country under the Dawes plan

FORBES' DEFENSE CLAIMS VICTORY

Mortimer Repudiates Own Testimony.

Chicago Dec 12.—Claiming an important advantage from twenty hours of intensive cross examination of Elias H Mortimer chief government witness defense counsel in the conspiracy trial of Charles R Forbes and J W Thompson were in court today to continue attack upon evidence woven about Veterans Bureau transactions by Mortimer's testimony

In cross examination yesterday the defense wrung from Mortimer a flat repudiation of portions of his testimony before the Senate Veterans Bureau investigating committee last year

IS MISTAKE

"If that's in the book it's a mistake" Mortimer replied to one question based on an excerpt from his Senate testimony which varied with that in the trial

"I have had my recollection refreshed on that point since the Senate investigation" he answered in explaining another apparent difference

After admitting his testimony before the Senate committee had been motivated by a "hostility toward Forbes" Mortimer said he never would have made the story public if he could have effected a reconciliation with his wife whom he believed had been won by Forbes

BLAME DEATH ON BOOTLEGGERS' WAR

Chicago Dec 12.—A bootleggers war was blamed by the police for the death last night of Omar Finch wounded in his saloon near the city limits by four men who entered and fired a score of shots without warning Investigators found quantities of alcohol and whisky in the place

THIEVES AT PARIS ROB U. S. ARMORY

Paris Ill Dec 12.—An inventory taken by the commanding officers showed that the arms rack in the armory of Company M of this city had been robbed of a number of automatic army pistols It is believed that a number of cartridges were taken at the same time Charles Twigg, a member of the company has been arrested charged with the theft It is feared other government goods have been stolen Search is being made for other suspects and arrests are expected

WILLARD PATTON, COMPOSER, DIES

Minneapolis Dec 12—Willard Patton widely known in musical circles of the northwest and the nation died at a hospital here today after a brief illness He was seventy-one years old Mr Patton's musical compositions included the oratorio "Isaiah" composed in 1894 and "Ilanza" a light opera, written in 1890.

PRISONER WILL RACE FOR LIPTON

Sir Thomas Lipton (left) has selected Amelius Jarvis Sr (right) now serving a six months sentence on the Toronto (Ont) prison farm to command his yacht in the 1926 races off Sandy Hook Jarvis, an old cronie of Sir Thomas' was convicted for conspiracy to defraud his government in a bond sale Sir Thomas, however, does not believe his friend is guilty

WARN VETS OF TIME LIMIT

Bonus Applications Not Good After First of Year.

Springfield Dec 12 — (AP) — Many [illegible] claims in Illinois eligible for the Illinois bonus will not receive a bonus unless they make their application immediately according to [illegible] D Edmunds chief [illegible] Service Recognition board Under the bonus law applications will not be received after midnight of Dec 31 The law is so worded that applications must be within the office at that time and not in the mails to be considered

In most cases where there is a time limit the post mark is acceptable as the determining date but the Illinois bonus law as passed by the general assembly provides specifically that all applications to be valid must be received by the board before Jan 1 1925

WANTS ALL IN

Mr Edmunds is making an effort to call the matter to the attention of all eligible applicants and get as many applications as possible before it is too late

To date there has been no movement that I know of to change the law and it seems likely that it will stand as passed Former soldiers in the state have been given every opportunity to register their applications They have had two years in which to do it but there are still many eligible men who have not applied These should do so immediately Of course there is a chance that the law will be changed to give more time but this would make a great delay

We will keep the office here open until midnight Dec 31 and take every application that comes to us before the clock strikes the new year

ROBY'S BODY IS MISSING

Two of Five Air Tragedy Victims Not Found.

San Diego Calif Dec 12.—[illegible] exceptional [illegible] every [illegible] naval officers said [illegible] to [illegible] D Missing [illegible] first class [illegible] Davenport machinists mate [illegible] the [illegible] yesterday

[illegible] are reported [illegible] Faulz was so badly injured that he would have drowned [illegible]

NEAR DEATH

[illegible] naval hospital [illegible]

[illegible]

BRIEF SERVICES

[illegible] services will be held [illegible] Saturday morning of Lieutenants [illegible] and Arthur E Thurston and for [illegible] who met death in the fall of the seaplane [illegible] Thurston's body will be sent to Orange N J

A board of investigation to look into the cause of the accident convened Thursday

COLORED BOY, 15, KILLED AS THIEF

Danville Ill Dec 12.—James [illegible] colored 15 years old high school student was shot and instantly killed here early Thursday by Ernest [illegible] The latter had been having his money that he placed in a milk bottle stolen several times and lay in wait and this morning when [illegible] attempted to get the money opened fire with a shotgun

PUT $500 BOUNTY ON DEAD ROBBERS

Elgin Ill Dec 12.—Inaugurating a policy that State Bankers association officials hope will be adopted in the state the Kane County Bankers Federation Thursday placed a price of $500 upon the head of every dead bank robber killed in this county It was voted to raise $10,000 for the purpose of paying rewards

WICKERSHAM ON LAW COMMITTEE

[illegible] Dec 12—George W Wickersham former U S attorney general was named as America's member of the international committee of the League of Nations to study the codification of international law

BENTON FARMER HUNTING VICTIM

Benton Ill Dec 12—Alvin Ahlquist well known farmer was shot and killed while hunting in the woods northeast of here Thursday A coroner's inquest reported that death was accidental

DEBATE DELAYS SHOALS VOTE

Senate Leaders Prepare to Force Action This Week.

Washington Dec 12—Senator Underwood Democrat, Alabama, author of the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill said today that this measure was being subjected to a "mild filibuster and he thought it was possible that a vote could be obtained this week"

BILL DELAYED

[illegible]

[illegible] consideration of the measure yesterday having been repeatedly interrupted by discussion of other measures

COUNSEL INTERRUPTED

Progress of the senate toward disposition of the Muscle Shoals question was so frequently interrupted by consideration of other proposals that the senate recessed tonight without taking action on pending amendments

Leaders [illegible] possible to bring the subject to a final vote tomorrow As a last resort they expect to attempt to limit each senator on debate

Both Democratic and Republican leaders predicted that the Underwood bill finally would pass They claim opposition to the bill is scattered and [illegible]

SMALL SHORT $50,000 SUM, STATE SAYS

Britton Charges That Amount Never Accounted for.

Springfield Ill Dec 12.—[illegible] totalling approximately [illegible] the late Illinois Governor Small [illegible] were the [illegible] this morning as Assistant Attorney General Britton took up the arguments Assistant Attorney General Ashton Campbell concluded his address this morning

The [illegible] Mr [illegible] said were never turned into the state treasury so far as the attorney [illegible] has been able to tell from the record

DOES NOT APPEAR

The amounts of [illegible] he said does not appear on the books Failure to secure an order from the auditor or the receipt of the money [illegible] of the money was turned [illegible] would have [illegible] Small [illegible] record of any [illegible] on the auditor [illegible] found

[illegible] counsel will spend the day in conference with [illegible]

BLAMES U. S. FOR PRODUCING "REDS"

Dr. Vance Says Kicks and Cuffs Reason.

Chicago Dec 12.—Only [illegible] a group of 1[illegible]0 deported Bolshevists found anything but kicks and cuffs [illegible] American Presbyterians were told [illegible] the national Presbyterian conference meeting here today

That is what some of our workers found said Dr [illegible] Vance of Detroit Mich president of the Presbyterian board of national missions These needy lives press us in the crowds but no virtue goes out from us to them as it did from Jesus to a timid suffering woman years ago because they are not in our minds and hearts save as obstacles to our progress

NUMBER UNKNOWN

How many we have sent away as we did Trotsky raging against established government and distrustful of everything Christian God only knows

But let us put an end to this worse than misuse of the greatest opportunity that comes to you as a Christian citizen the chance to introduce men and women to Jesus Christ on American soil "

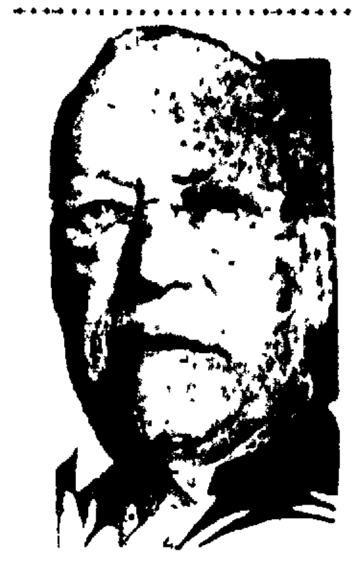
The Presbyterian general council, which closed its sessions last night took under serious consideration plans presented to it by Dr Vance for unification of church finances "I will report upon the matter to the next general assembly"

Gompers, Critically Ill, Reaches U. S.

Death Report Erroneous—Aged Labor Chief Rushed To Texas Hospital.

San Antonio Texas Dec 12—(AP)—Samuel Gompers, aged president of the American Federation of Labor who reports yesterday said, had been near death in Mexico since Wednesday, is greatly improved and every hope is held out for his speedy recovery, a telephone message from the [illegible] correspondent at Laredo stated today

POINT OF DEATH



SAMUEL GOMPERS

[illegible] San Antonio this morning [illegible] to the San Antonio hospital [illegible] afternoon

[illegible] able vitality [illegible] this morning was [illegible] proved

A room in a local hospital [illegible] reserved for him by the United States customs officials but his improvement was such that it was believed safe to take him on to San Antonio

ERRONEOUS REPORT

The report sent out late Thursday afternoon stating that Mr Gompers had died was secured from a Mexican news agency [illegible] score of rumors [illegible] carried all through the [illegible]

Mr Gompers' train was [illegible] Mexican side by Dr Nat Kirk [illegible] States Health Service [illegible] American official [illegible]

PENDING [illegible]

[illegible]

The coach [illegible] Mr Gompers [illegible] was brought immediately [illegible] American side without the customs formalities

[illegible]

DEATH [illegible]

[illegible]

TAKES NOURISHMENT

[illegible]

COOLIDGE SEEKS AID OF LEADERS

Holds Conference Over Postal Bill.

Washington Dec 12.—An effort to bolster up administration [illegible] the senate opposed to an early vote on overriding the executive veto of the postal employes pay bill was made by President Coolidge today at a conference with a dozen Republican senators

Senators McCormick and McKinley of Illinois and Cummins of Iowa were among those at the conference

GIRL, CURED BY AIRPLANE, TALKS, DUMB 19 YEARS

Chicago Dec 12—Gwendolyn Caswell the girl who partially recovered the powers of speech and hearing she lost nineteen years ago by means of airplane flight Wednesday was one of the happiest persons in the city yesterday

She sat at her retouching desk in the Gibson Sykes and Fowler photograph studio and smiled all day and she said a few sentences to all the other workers the first time they ever had heard her say a word

"I am very happy" she said, "Now I can say, Merry Christmas."

The Weather

[illegible] —Weather [illegible] there for [illegible]

Unsettled tonight and Saturday possibly light rain warmer tonight

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS

7 p m Thursday	[illegible]
Highest Thursday	45
7 a m Friday	36
Noon Friday	41
Lowest Friday	37
Sun rises (Standard time)	7 07
Sun sets	4 31

WEATHER MAP

Chicago [illegible] Canadian Northwest [illegible] Edmonton 34 Prince Al[illegible] [illegible] Winnipeg [illegible] Northwest [illegible] Ohio Valley, 30 to 44, clear

School Boy Takes Gun Into Class—Mate is Wounded

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Forty pupils—girls and boys in their early teens—leaped up excitedly during a recitation at Nicholas Senn High school yesterday when the sound of a revolver shot cut through the calm of the classroom

At the same time Evan Evanson 15 years old of 1712 Carmen street one of the students felt a stinging pain in his right wrist and presently a ruddy stain appeared on his coat sleeve

BOY ADMITS SHOOTING

After order had been restored and the wounded boy had been hurried to Lake View hospital the teacher Miss T H Peterson aided by A H Piat class athletic instructor started an investigation

Samuel Schiet 15 years old of 6056 Broadway another student proved to be the one who had fired the revolver

"I didn't mean to do it the revolver just went off" he said sheepishly drawing a 32 calibre weapon from his pocket

"What do you mean by having that—that dangerous thing" demanded Miss Peterson gingerly taking the revolver

"Nothin' The cowboys in the motion pictures tote em"

TAKEN TO STATION

Here Detectives Baumann [illegible] Ebling and Sweeney appeared and led Samuel to the Summerdale police station

The boy said he bought the revolver for $4 three weeks ago from Nicholas Butkovitch of 2157 Summerdale avenue who is being sought for questioning

Young Evanson's wound is not serious physicians said Young Schiet is being held for the juvenile authorities.

Repeat Confessions In Early Testimony

[illegible] —repeated [illegible] Frank Smith that he [illegible] William Funkhouser aged [illegible] murdered in [illegible] county Sept [illegible] with [illegible] broken fragments [illegible] introduced in [illegible] testimony [illegible] witnesses in Smith's [illegible] Friday forenoon To [illegible] according to their [illegible] he had [illegible] of Gray [illegible]

COLES SHERIFF TALKS

[illegible] of Sheriff [illegible] McNutt of Coles county created [illegible] greatest interest during the [illegible] his manner on the stand and the special effort of John J Baker counsel for Smith to discredit his story Sheriff McNutt said he first saw Smith in the Shelby county jail about Nov 11 this year and his testimony Friday was largely a rehearsal of the categorical questions and answers that passed between him and the prisoner and brought out statements that previously have been reported in The Review

The Coles county sheriff told of Smith's saying said that Gray Eye' got into the car with Funkhouser on the fatal morning then came back and got Smith and Davis [illegible] Gray Eye took Funkhouser into the pasture, where Smith admitted he had struck the aged man twice

SMITH TOOK WATCH

McNutt said he examined Smith in the presence of Harry Davis the other negro who is awaiting trial and that Smith said he took Funkhouser's watch and pawned it for $1 50 Other witnesses had testified previously that Smith had said he got nothing from Funkhouser

BLOOD-STAINED CLUBS

The clubs which according to Sheriff McNutt Smith had admitted were used were admitted as exhibits A B C and D One is a large heavy club and the other is broken into three pieces Both are blood-stained and have patches of gray hair adhering to them

MOVEMENTS TRACED

J E Portlock chief of police at Mattoon was the first witness offered by the state Friday morning He told that the three Negroes Smith Davis and 'Gray Eye' slept in the Mattoon calaboose the night of Sept 29, and that they inquired the way to St Louis He next saw Smith in the Shelby county jail where he said Smith told him he and 'Gray Eye' killed Funkhouser and that he Smith used the big club Later Portlock was recalled and testified that Gray Eye' was about one or two inches taller than the

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RADIO CLUB AFTER INTERFERENCE

Names Service Committee to Study Problem.

TWO NEW OFFICERS

Seek Engineer to Speak in February.

A [illegible] meeting of the Radio Club of Decatur was held Thursday night in the offices of the Douglas County Telephone Company. R. H. Landis, manual training instructor at the Roosevelt Junior High school, was elected secretary. Vice president Herbert Bickard, resigned. J. K. Stafford, secretary of the Mississippi Valley Structural Steel Company, was elected treasurer, to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Landis' election to the secretaryship. Three new members of the executive committee, H. J. Henderson, C. R. Willis and K. C. Gile, were also elected, all elections to hold until the February meeting, at which time regular election takes place. [illegible] R. Willis and J. K. Stafford were appointed as new members of the program committee. Arrangements were made for the appointment of a [illegible] membership committee [illegible] to the conducting of [illegible]

SERVICE COMMITTEE

Arrangements were also made for the appointment of a Service Committee, the members of which it is expected will be members with unusual ability and experience in radio. The principle function of this committee will be to devise ways and means to eliminate the unusually large amount of interference which has been in the air so far this year.

Reports made by various members [illegible] that in addition to the [illegible] other [illegible] power apparatus [illegible] is [illegible] menace [illegible] Decatur and [illegible]

[illegible]

It is expected that [illegible] who are on [illegible] this committee will be [illegible] to eliminate [illegible] In addition to this [illegible] who [illegible] code and [illegible] as radio doctors [illegible] who will place themselves [illegible] to telephone calls for [illegible] owner of a radio set [illegible] of course, will have to be paid for by the owner of the set making the call, but it is expected to get men who will be reasonable in their charges and who will be anxious to help in this problem of making receiving conditions better.

As yet, no members of this committee have been selected as qualifications for membership in this committee [illegible] selected, as qualifications for membership in this committee are rather unusual [illegible] the Radio Club [illegible] radio fans who are good [illegible] and who can read [illegible]

WANT RADIO ENGINEER.

It [illegible] desired to have some [illegible] national reputation [illegible] as the principle feature of a [illegible] to be given early in January.

The two [illegible] of the Junior Radio Club, R. H. Landis of the [illegible] Junior High school, and M. Stanley, of the Central Junior High school, were asked to arrange for a survey of Decatur getting detailed information regarding the different kinds of sets being used in Decatur, and their owners and addresses, so that the service committee of the club will be in better position to cooperate with members asking for help on eliminating interfer-

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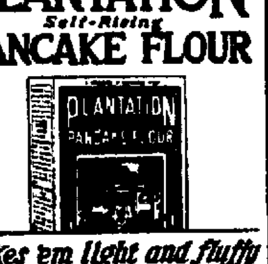

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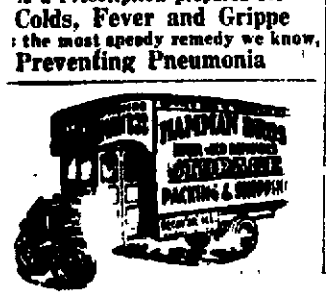

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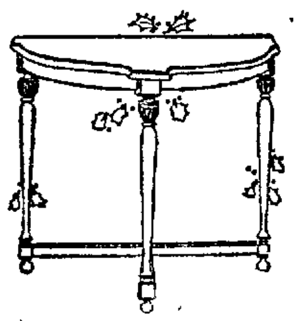
Here are lasting gift suggestions that you will always appreciate, because of their usefulness, we have many others in our Furniture department.



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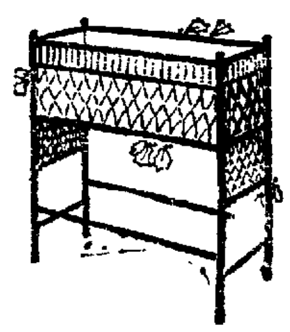
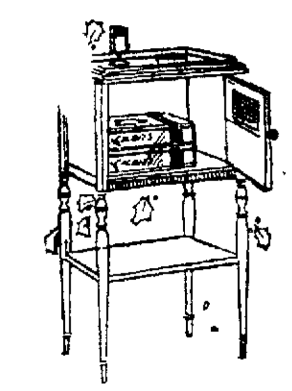


Ferneries, $6.95

These are made of fiber and are just the right size —and are low priced.



Smokers, $16.50

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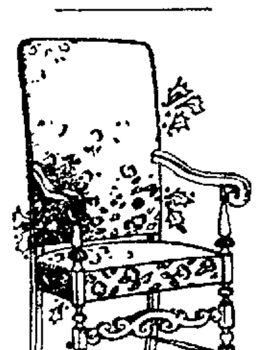

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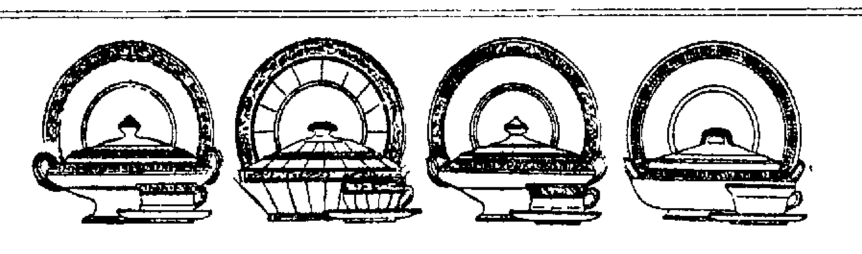

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Bon Bon Dishes, 89c to $1.15.
Cake Stands, $1.00.
Flower Bowls, 85c to $2.00.

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Jelly Comports, 65c—75c.
Ash trays, 15c, 75c and 85c.
Wall Vases, $1.25.
Console Sets, $1.89.

Pottery

Jardineres, $1.00 up to $4.00.
Vases, 85c up to $2.00.
Flower Bowls, 85c to $2.25.
Fern Dishes, 85c to $2.00.

Marmalade Jars, 50c.
Flower Baskets, 75c.
Candy Jars, $1.00.
Cracker and Cheese Sets, $1.00 up to $1.75.

Fourth Floor—China Department

Write This On Your Christmas Shopping List

Go to Linn's Beauty Parlor

A restful, beneficial way to break the monotony of shopping. And a pleasant way to insure beautiful hair, hands, and complexion for the holidays. Appointments made to suit your convenience. Telephone Main 3934.

Switches and Transformations all shades including gray.

At Two Special Prices
$3.95 and $10.00

Third Floor

PICTURES

Make Beautiful Gifts

Wonderful subjects—some reproductions from the old masters —subjects by Maxfield Parrish. Your friends will love to get these. Prices range from $2.49 to $4.95.

Main Floor, Art Department

Mid Winter Hats

Velvets and a Few Satins

$5.00

All these are exceptional bargains, but there are only a few in the lot—so the early shopper will get the best choice. There are a few small head sizes and many pretty styles — for the elderly lady as well as the Miss.

Third Floor

Santa is Here

With Toys for Boys and Girls

He is in our Basement and he wants all the boys and girls to come and see him Saturday—come whisper in his ear just what you want him to bring you this Christmas.

Erector Sets, $1.00, $3.00 and $5.00.
Electric Trains, $6.00 to $15.00—This includes the track.
Winding Trains, $1.75 to $5.00.
Tool Chests, every boy will like one of these, $3.25 to $5.50.
Toy Maker, $1.25 to $4.00.
Chemcraft, $1.50, $3.00, $5.00 and $10.00.
Circus Wagons, $3.00 to $4.00.
Iron Trains, $1.50—$4.00.
Stoves, electric, $10.00.
Iron Ranges, $1.00 to $5.00.
Chairs—Rocking Chairs—in red, gray, and white, 85c to $2.50.
Doll Beds, $1.75 to $6.00—white, and oak finish.
Tea Sets, 50c to $2.75.
Aluminum Cooking Sets, 5c to $1.75.
Try Ware Toy Sets, 5 pieces, $2.00.
Dressers, $2.50 to $5.50.
3 piece Doll Bedroom Suite, $3.50.
Dinner Set—32 piece, pretty pattern, $5.00
Desks, $3.50 to $20.00.
Scooters, rubber tires, $1.75 to $5.50.

Basement

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TEACHERS PLAN FOR HOLIDAYS

Most of Them to Stay in Illinois.

ONE TO GO TO FLORIDA

Number Will Visit in Chicago.

Most of the Decatur grade school teachers will be in Illinois towns, many near Decatur, for the Christmas holidays but a few are going farther away. One will go to Florida, one to Pittsburgh, Pa., several to Indiana, one to Wisconsin, and a number will visit Chicago during the holidays.

Following is the list of where they will go.

DENNIS.

Dennis—Mrs. Mary Hansen, principal, Danville; Miss Mae Williamson, Tuscola; Miss Lean Ruth Hendrix, Macomb; Miss Marie Bellis and Miss Helen Hoots, Decatur; Miss Dorothy Allen, Neoga; Miss Nina Funk, Casey.

E. A. GASTMAN.

E. A. Gastman—Miss Jane MacMillan, principal, Decatur; Miss Daisy Hayne, Newton; Miss Marjorie Dobson, Monticello; Mrs. Hazel Hill and Miss Nora Keogh, Bloomington; Miss Bess Klingensmith, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Misses Blanche Syfert, Lillie Carroth, Lucile Brown, Eunice Christy, and Mrs. Charlene D. Roney all in Decatur.

JACKSON.

Jackson—Miss Maude Vigles, principal, Decatur; Miss Ruth Goodman, Ava; Miss Helen Ingham, Warrensburg; Miss Nellie Sullivan and Miss Grace Mildred Rice, Bloomington; Miss Jessie Ross, White Hall; Mrs. Mamie Ross, Misses Cordelia Wilson, Eugenie Reise, Evelyn Schudel in Decatur.

JASPER.

Jasper—Miss Alice Mead, principal, Decatur; Mrs. Lilian Metlave, Terre Haute; Miss Vinita Louise Miller, Nokomis; Miss Florence Meyer, Bloomington; Miss Kathryn Monroe, Decatur till after Christmas and then to Chicago; Miss Nessie Poole, Decatur till after Christmas and then to Chicago; Miss Effie Blair, Blue Mound; Miss Dollie Kivett, Florida; Miss Maude Knowles, Decatur; Miss Lera Frances Smith, Chicago.

LINCOLN.

Lincoln—Miss Sarah Glickener, principal, Morrisonville; Miss Ella Beyer, St. Louis; Misses Nell Weasel, Mildred Krighaum, and Mrs. Sarah Braden, Chicago; Miss Eugenia Kinnella, Bloomington; Miss Birdie Honefinger, Taylorville; Misses Marguerite Harper and Mary Boyd and Miss May Osgood, Decatur.

MARY W. FRENCH.

Mary W. French—Miss May Boland, principal, Decatur; Miss Flora Kauth, Decatur; Miss Mary McGhee, Cerro Gordo; Miss Frances McClelland, undecided; Miss Mildred Price, Oregon, Ill., and Chicago; Miss Daisy Lux, Chicago; Miss Pearl Crowder, Bethany; Miss Adelina Jenkins, Decatur.

OAKLAND.

Oakland—Miss Mattie Waddington, principal, Champaign; Miss Lottie Heller, Pontiac and Normal; Miss Irene Strang, Sandoval; Miss Maude Bridges and Mrs. Treia Huffman, Decatur; Miss Neiva Dine, Maroa; Miss Clarissa Flenniken, Cowden; Miss Bessie Reichert, Vernon; Miss Pauline Nelle, Bloomington.

OGLESBY.

Oglesby—Miss Jennie Wells, principal, at her home south of Decatur; Miss Lottie Walser, Pana and St. Louis; Mrs. Lena Higdon, Monticello and Tuscola; Miss Vesta Crosno, Arthur; Mrs. Otto Weedman, Farmer City; Miss Rose Benford, Argenta and Jacksonville; Miss Jessie Waters, home near Urbana.

RIVERSIDE.

Riverside—Miss Nannie Ellis, principal, Windsor; Miss Daisy Daggett, Decatur; Miss Edith Dean, Bloomington; Miss Virgil Bennett, Monticello; Mrs. Martha Webb, Decatur; Miss Mary Jane Huber, Arthur; Miss Fay Cole, Decatur; Miss Norma Seay, Havana; Miss Dorothy Oakes, Decatur; Miss Wynemiah Rardin, Charleston; Miss Grace Kershner, Fairbury; Mrs. May Wilson, Decatur.

PUGH.

Pugh—Miss Mabel Muthersbaugh, principal, Decatur; Misses Mary Henneberry, Adele Rattan, Emilie Stein, Louise Ray, Katherine Fitzpatrick, Decatur; Miss Roby McAinis, Evansville, Ind.; Miss Waters, Urbana; Miss Carrie Jordan, Charleston; Miss Selma Kalisky, Stevens' Point, Wis.; Miss Helen Hershey, Stonington; Miss Dorothy Wycoff, Wyoming, Ill.

H. B. DURFEE.

H. B. Durfee—Lee D. Piggott, principal, Decatur; Misses Geneva Curren, Mary Satterthwaite, Minerva Merker, Celia Koelmel, Lettie Jones, Helen Hutchison, Winona Telling, Edna Logan, Decatur; Miss Josephine Bowman, Greenview; Miss Ida Buehler, Dwight; Miss Mary Kinsella, Bloomington; Mrs. Mabel Spangler, Argenta; Miss Mildred Blair, Salem; Miss Hulda Anderson, Hennepin; Miss Jessie Harnit, Gibson City; Miss Helen Stapp, Atwood; Miss Helen Fowler, Hillsboro; Miss Mae Peters, Sandoval; Miss Corrien Dages, Loogootee, Ind.; Glenn Summers, Monticello; Miss Lucia Mysch, Edwardsville.

ROACH.

Roach—Miss Mary Margaret Roach, principal, will attend the Illinois State Teachers' association meeting in Springfield and spend part of the time in Decatur; Miss Leah Gerber, Tremont; Mrs. Mary Andrews, Carlinville and St. Louis; Miss Amy Woodson, Charleston; Miss Grace Walton, Nokomis; Miss Bess Craw, DuQuoin; the following will spend part of their time in Decatur and part elsewhere—Miss Nina Mae Durning, Chicago; Mrs. Bertha Kamm, Indianapolis; Mrs. Opal Fielder, Bloomington; the following will spend all their time in Decatur—Mrs. Leora B. Marshall, Mrs. Edna Engle, Miss Elizabeth Connard, Mrs. Mabel Johnson, Mrs. Frances Curry, Misses Mabel Matheny, Livona Curl, and Helen M. Robb.

ULLRICH.

Ullrich—Miss Mary Brand, principal, Decatur; Miss Essie Bandy, Hammond; Miss Eleanor Nighswonger, Bloomington; Miss Miriam Smith, Prescott, Ia.; Miss Gertrude Hawkins, Harisburg; Miss Ferris, Belleflower; Miss Marian Weinlein, Nashville; Misses Lucy Curl and Laura Martin and Mrs. Florence Hodgson in Decatur.

FIRST CHRISTIAN TO CELEBRATE

To Observe Eleventh Anniversary of Dedication of Church.

The eleventh dedication anniversary of the First Christian church will be observed Sunday all day by the members and friends of the church. The church was dedicated Dec. 14, 1913.

The observance will start off with the usual Sunday morning services, and at noon the members will have a basket dinner at the church.

After dinner, at 2:30, the annual business meeting of the church will be held at which time elders and deacons for the coming year will be elected.

Dr. Chesteen Smith of the First Methodist church will speak on "Some Experiences in the Orient." There will be special music by the Sunday school orchestra, a male quartet, a solo and a duet.

Rev. E. M. Smith was pastor of the First Christian church when it was dedicated. He died a year ago last September.

Rev. R. E. Henry, present pastor, is now in his tenth year here.

Served Term.

Sheriff Underwood Thursday morning received from the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn. a picture of William Jenkins the colored man arrested here a few days ago for forgery. Jenkins served a term in the Minesota penitentiary a few years ago for forgery.

PERSONALS

Mrs. M. L. Dunkeson of Kansas City who has been spending the last two weeks visiting her brother, L. H. Secor in Decatur, has returned to her home.

D. M. SWARTHOUT ARRANGES MUSIC FOR NEW STATION

D. M. Swarthout, former assistant director of Millikin Conservatory of Music, will be in charge of the direction of the music programs to be given from radio station KFKU at the University of Kansas starting next Monday, Dec. 15. Mr. Swarthout is Dean of Fine Arts at the institute. The new station has a 500 watt sending apparatus and operates on a wave length of 278 meters.

The opening program will be next Monday night, Dec. 15 when the station will be formally dedicated. Following that there will be programs on Monday and Thursday evening. At 7 o'clock each of these evenings will be the music arranged by Mr. Swarthout. The regular programs will start Jan. 5.

REALTORS AGAIN NAME C. N. GORHAM

Report Shows 600 Sales Handled During Year.

The Decatur Realtors held their annual meeting and election of officers Thursday, C. N. Gorham being reelected president. Other officers are:

Vice president—P. E. Lucas.

Secretary-treasurer—A. M. Cobb.

Directors—C. N. Gorham, E. H. Burns, A. M. Cobb, E. F. Drobisch, J. D. Johnson, B. F. Cloud and J. L. Burtschi.

The annual report showed that during the last fiscal year ending Dec. 1, the members had handled 600 sales at a value representing $918,629.

RECEIVE RECORD OF COLORED FORGER

Has Long Prison Record According to St. Louis Report.

The Decatur police received from Chief O'Brien at St. Louis Thursday the prison record of William Jenkins, the colored forger now being held in the county jail for five forgeries committed in Decatur a few days ago.

Jenkins served in the Fort Madison, Ia., penitentiary from July 29, 1915, till July 22, 1918, for forgery, but was not at liberty very long. On Nov. 27, 1919, he was sent to the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn., being released from that prison Sept. 19, 1922. That was also a sentence for forgery. What he has been doing the last two years is not known. If he has kept right on forging checks he has maunged to escape conviction. On account of his two former convictions and the fact that he carried a revolver when he was arrested a few days ago may keep him in the penitentiary the rest of his life.

MAIL CAMPAIGN ON CHRISTMAS SEALS

To Send Out 300,000 in Macon County.

Three hundred thousand Christmas seals probably will be sent out by the Macon County Tuberculosis and Visiting Nurses association this year in the mail campaign and other efforts for the sale of these sales, which are being sold to help wage the war against tuberculosis.

10,000 GONE.

More than 10,000 seals already have been sent out to the country schools of the county, by the permission of the county superintendent, and 30,000 more have been placed in several of the leading Decatur stores, along with posters and other educational material. More than 1000 letters, containing from $2 to $10 worth of the seals, are being prepared to be sent to people who it is thought will buy the stamps. A return envelope will be enclosed, so that the person may return the money or the stamps, as he may wish.

SOME NOW BUYING.

A few seals have been sold to people who have gone to the office of the association to buy them.

The sale has been delayed somewhat by the death of Miss Stella Becker.

Acording to information given out by Dr. W. S. Keister, this sale of Christmas seals helps out immensely in the work to stamp out tuberculosis. It provides nursing service and many other necessities in the war on this disease.

The sale is handled by the National Tuberculosis association, which distributes the seals to state associations, who in turn give them to local associations.

LAST YEAR'S SALES.

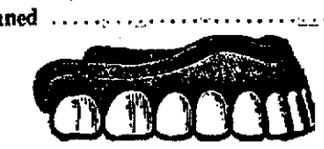
Over 400,000,000 seals were sold in the United States last year, $4,200,000 being raised by the penny seals. Over $30,000,000 has been raised in the last sixteen years. Five hundred hospitals have been built in seven years, and 600 clinics and dispensaries are doing work. Over 10,000 nurses are employed.

For this year's sale the national Tuberculosis association has printed 1,250,000,000 seals.

Will You Be Able To Eat Your Christmas Dinner In Peace?

Good, sound teeth are essential for health and digestion at all times. But at this season of the year, with its holiday dinners and feasting, your teeth should be in perfect condition. NOW is the time to have your work started. Have it all completed before the holidays arrive.

Porcelain Crowns	$7.00
Gold Crowns, up from	$6.00
Bridgework, per tooth, up from	$6.00
Amalgam Filling, up from	$1.50
Extraction (by Nerve Block)	$1.00
Teeth Cleaned	$2.00

TEETH  TEETH

Now is the time to have impressions taken for a new set of teeth. By holiday time eating will be a pleasure.

We do all of our own laboratory work and therefore can save you about one-third on this kind of service.

$12.50, $15.00, $20.00 and up
PER PLATE

Plate work completed in one day for out of town patients (except Saturday).

$6 Per Tooth **Bridgework** AND UP

Have your missing teeth replaced with a strictly up-to-date piece of bridge work. We will be able to complete your work of this nature before Christmas IF STARTED SOON.

GRIGSBY DENTISTS

Over Bachrachs. Phone Main 2054

Where Honest Work Meets Moderate Price.

Lou Barbey Food Store

130 Merchant St. Phones M. 129–130

25 lb. Sack Cane Sugar, $1.95

10 lb Sack Cane Sugar, 79c

5 lb. sack Corn Meal	20c	2 bushel sack Red River Ohio Potatoes	$1.95
Box Rome Beauty Apples	$2.75	Fancy Jonathan Apples, per bushel basket	$3.25
New Crop Mixed Nuts, per pound	25c	3 large Grape Fruit	25c
216 size California Navel Oranges, dozen	30c	Large California Navel Oranges, dozen	50c
Holly Wreaths	20c	Boxwood Wreaths	25c
Lge. sk. Queen Quality Flour	$2.25	Large Sack Big "S" Flour	$2.50

Full Dressed Ducks & Chickens

Open Every Evening 'Til Xmas

GATELY'S

240 North Water Street

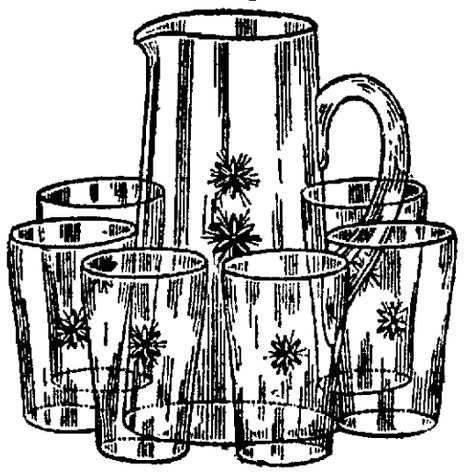
America's Largest Credit Clothiers

Buy on Payments

OUTFIT YOURSELF—FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Buy Now—Take Advantage of Our Great FREE OFFER!

TOMORROW—Saturday—Take advantage of Our Great Offer! We are concluding this sale with four great specials each for Men and Women! $5 Down secures your choice—and the balance need not be paid until next year!



PAY ONLY $5 DOWN

SPECIALS

for Tomorrow—8 Exceptional Groups of Unusual Values—PAY NEXT YEAR!

TOMORROW is really a most timely and unusual buying opportunity—we are not only featuring unusual values in every department but in addition, we will give this lovely 7-piece Cut Glass WATER SET ABSOLUTELY FREE as our Xmas Gift to you! A Set Free with every purchase of $20 or over!

Special No. 1
O'COATS
These are really the finest kind of Overcoats! Make your selection tomorrow—pay only $5 down—Water Set Free!
$35.00
$45–$55

Special No. 2
SUITS
Every Suit in this grouping is of pure Virgin Wool — get your choice for $5 Down at.
$30.00
$40–$50

Special No. 3
SHOES
The famous American Gentleman Shoes—on payments at—
$6.25
$9.75 and $11.75

Special No. 4
SHIRTS
The finer kind of Shirts—featured for the first time—on payments. Add a Shirt to your account.
$1.50
$2.50–$3.50–$5

Special No. 5
COATS
Remarkable values in Fur Trimmed Cloth Coats! Every one a smartly tailored model—every one offered for $5 Down at—
$29.75
$39.75–$49.75

Special No. 6
DRESSES
A truly remarkable collection of the Better Kind of Dresses — $5 Down buys your choice.
$15.00
$20–$30–$45

Special No. 7
FUR SCARFS
—Genuine Fox Furs—for yourself and Christmas Gift giving—at **$24.75 up**

Special No. 8
Children's Coats
All Wool and Fur Trimmed, in all colors, and sizes ..... **$8.50 up**

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WARREN SCHOOL PLANS CHRISTMAS

Parents to Visit Various Rooms Monday Evening, Dec. 22.

Each room in the Warren school will have its own program Monday evening, Dec. 22, after supper and the mothers and fathers are to visit in the rooms at that time and visit night. The program will consist of readings, song, dialogues and a few rooms will have plays. Mrs. Stacey's room will give "The Christmas Spirit," Miss Wise's pupils will give "Santa's Helpers," Miss Bromley's room "A Visit from Santa Claus," Miss Goodman's room "Mary's Lesson" written entirely by the children, and Miss Bethorn's pupils will give "A Christmas Lesson."

In addition to the programs there will be a Christmas tree and treat for the children.

Warren school youngsters are very happy over the new balls which the Mothers' club has presented each room. Certain pupils in each room have been appointed to take care of these balls which are highly prized.

DAYTIME FROCKS

This daytime frock is cut on the popular beltless model, but the two rows of fringe about the hem are a decidedly original touch. The wide band of silk printed in batik designs is the Parisienne's way of pepping up a frock that looks too prim and plain.

The modern three wise men are Stop, Look and Listen

Teachers' Holiday Plans.

Warren—Miss Nelle Clark principal Mattoon, Miss Florence Pearson Peoria and Chicago, Miss Olive Rogers, Charleston, Miss Ruby Miller, Chester, Miss Marie Jordan Charleston, Miss Eva Bromley Decatur; Miss Sarah Rethorn, Chandlerville; Mrs Alice Stacey Decatur, Miss Pauline Wise Monmouth, Miss Virginia Goodman Greenup, Miss Soray Peck, Raymond.

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Coughs, colds or similar ailments don't just happen, they are the effect of a weakened system. The truth is that resistance is broken and you have failed to keep your body efficient.

Scott's Emulsion

is a form of nourishment that is a great help in building up the body to that degree of efficiency that coughs and colds do not seriously trouble.

If your resistance is broken down, build it up with Scott's Emulsion.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 24-16

Beautiful Flowers

Dant's flowers are always appreciated, both because of their freshness and their full-blown beauty. They are preferred because most folks have learned to know that the choicest plants always come from our greenhouses.

Cut Flowers

Carnations, per dozen $2.0
Roses, per dozen .....$1.50, $2.00, $3.00 and $4.0
Sweet Peas per bunch 75
Stevia, per dozen 50
Calendula, per dozen $1.00

Potted Plants

Cycleman Plants, each .....$1.00 to $3.0
Poinsettia Plants, each .....$1.00 to $5.0
Begonia Plants, each .....50c to $1.50
Primroses, each 75c

Cemetery Wreaths

We have one of the largest assortments we have ever shown. The kind that will last all winter.
Priced at each **$3, $4, $5 and $6.00**
Evergreen Wreaths, each .....35c to $2.00

"Say It With Flowers"
Flowers Wired Anywhere

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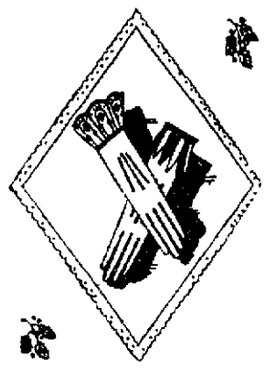
"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

WILLIAM GUSHARD COMPANY



Gift Suggestions

Charming New Gauntlets $3.00

—They are smart "slip-on" gauntlets of soft kid, with triple row embroidered backs and scalloped edges. Colors are brown, beaver and tan. Unusual values at $3 a pair.
FIRST FLOOR.

French Kid Gauntlets $3.75 a Pair

—These are fancy gauntlets of selected French kid and suede, with turn-back and French cuffs. In grey, beaver, brown, havana and tan, with embroidered and appliqued trimming in contrasting shades. $3.75 a pair.
FIRST FLOOR.

Women's Gift Handkerchiefs 35c Each

—They are soft handkerchiefs of white and colored linen and fine cotton, trimmed in pretty ways with embroidery and colored borders. Special values at 35c.
FIRST FLOOR.

Smart Flannel Sport Scarfs at $2.95

—Of wool flannel, in effective striped patterns which combine many colors, these scarfs are very pretty indeed. Special at $2.95.
FIRST FLOOR.

Women's Fine Silk Hose, $2.50 Pair

—Women's "McCallum" hose of pure silk, full-fashioned, with tops, toes, soles and heels of lisle, may be chosen in black and all the favored shades of the season. $2.50
FIRST FLOOR.

Men's Gordon Silk Hose, $1.00 Pair

—Men's full-fashioned hose of pure silk, with double soles, heels, toes and tops, are in black, cordovan and navy. $1 a pair.
FIRST FLOOR.

Gift Tips

From the Gift Shop

TORCHIERES in beautiful designs, fashioned of parchment and glass in lovely colors, are $2 to $3.98 ea.

—Charming glass boudoir lamps, with black and yellow glass bases and stained glass shades, are $3.98 and $4.50.

—Pottery vases, bowls, baskets and candle-sticks, in attractive wicker-work patterns are $1.25 to $2 each.

—Electric coffee urns in unusual designs, 6 and 8 cup capacity, are $23.50 to $35.

—Casseroles, with frames of nickel and dutch silver and insets of Pyrex and china, are priced $3.50 to $13.50.

—Salt and pepper sets of Dutch silver, in 10 hammered and etched styles, are priced $1.25 to $2.25 a pair.

—Wicker serving trays in blue, pink, grey white and black, with glass covered cretonne bottoms, are $5.50 ea.

—Charming serving trays with movable handles, of mahogany and polychromed woods, are price $1.25 to $2.98.

—Glass bud vases with gold decorations are $1.50 each.
FOURTH FLOOR

Saturday Only! A Sale of

Smart New Beaded Bags just $4.95 each

COMING just before Christmas, while everyone seeks worthy gifts, this special sale of fine beaded bags at $4.95 each is very opportune indeed.

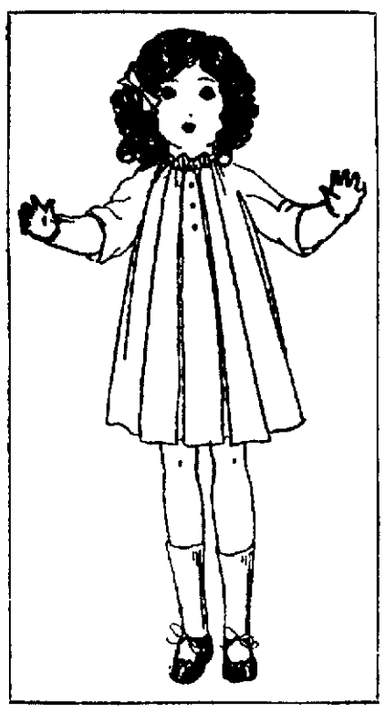
—The bags are of fine quality, with filigreed tops of gold and silver plate. Some have plated chains, while others have beaded straps. The bags are in many new patterns, with beads arranged in charming color combinations. The bags are lined with silk.

—The sale is for Saturday only, beginning at 9:00 o'clock. Since the quantity is limited to just 48 bags, early attendance is advised for best choice.
FIRST FLOOR

Santa is Here With Hosts of

Newest Dolls and Toys

—New painting and drawing books, 50c.
—"Pitch-em" the indoor game of horseshoes, 95c.
—New Kiddo flivvers $2.95 to $3.75.
—Drums are priced $1.75 to $3.75.
—Indian and Cowboy play suits are specially priced at $1.35, $1.89, $2.49.
—Toy telephones are 50c, 69c, $1 and up to $1.69.
—Toy taxi cabs are priced 59c each.
—Toy carpet sweepers are special at 35c. 49c and $1.25.
—Red chairs $1.25 each. Rockers special at $1.39.
—Jazzbo Jim, the coon dancer on the roof, just 39c.
—"Over and Under" toys just 89c each.
—Climbing monkeys special at 19c.



—Tyro Blocks are 89c to $2.50 a set.
—Erector sets are priced $1, $3, $5 and $10 each.
—Play-o-phone toys are 45c to $2 each.
—Fine big Teddy bears are $1.98.
—Completely equipped tool chests for boys are $2.25, $3.50, $5 and $10 each.
—Invisible color cut-out sets are 50c to $1 a set.
—Tinker Toy builders, 75c a set.
—Durable sand toys of many kinds priced 50c to $1.50.
—"Tinker Toys" for little children are 50c to $1.25 each.
—Rubber tired wagons are priced $3.25 to $8.50 each.
—Rubber-tired velocipedes, $2.98 to $3.50.
—"The Toonerville Trolley" is 89c.

"Ma-Ma" Dolls

—Santa Claus has brought us hundreds and hundreds of "Ma-Ma" dolls. We have sizes for every little girl, at prices ranging from 49c to $15.

Doll Buggies

—Every little mother will find a buggy for her doll, for we have just lots and lots of them, in all sizes and all styles. They are $4 to $22.50.
FOURTH FLOOR

For Daughters, Mothers are Choosing

Fine Gifts of Apparel

EACH year more and more women decide to choose practical gifts for their daughters, knowing that such gifts, carefully chosen, are sure of a welcome. The apparel gifts mentioned below are certain to please, for they are of that good quality essential in gifts, and they are smart in every detail.

—For girls of 6 to 14 there are coats of fine wool polaire, downy-wool and chinchilla, with collars of fur or self material. $10, $15, $19.50 to $29.50.

—For junior girls of 14 and 16 there are coats of velour, polaire and bolivia, with collars of soft fur. In favored winter colors. $19.50 to $35.

—Knitted caps for girls of 3 to 14 are in tan and white. 75c to $1.95.

—3 piece sweater sets of brushed and plain wool, in white, tan, red, copen and brown, are $4.95 to $7.50.

—Wool dresses for high school girls are fashioned of fine wool twill and flannels in stripes and plaids. Sizes 14 to 16. They are special at $10.

—Silk dresses for high school girls are fashioned of satin and crepe de Chine, in navy and brown. Trimmed in pretty ways. Sizes 14 to 16. $15.

—Button-front wool sweaters in tan, brown and red, sizes 2 to 6. $2.95.

—Pretty "pantie" dresses for girls of 2 to 6 are of cotton poplin and pongee in pretty colors. $1 to $3.50.
THIRD FLOOR

These Make Wonderful Gifts

Boys' Two Pants Suits $10

THE BOY who gets one of these on Christmas will have reason to be pleased. They are fine suits of wool, in styles that both parents and boys like, and they are made to give long service, with reinforcements where the wear is greatest. Each suit has two pairs of pants. In sizes for boys of 7 to 15. Great values at $10.

—Well made, all wool overcoats in new styles, for boys of 8 to 14 years, are excellent values at $18.50 and $22.50.

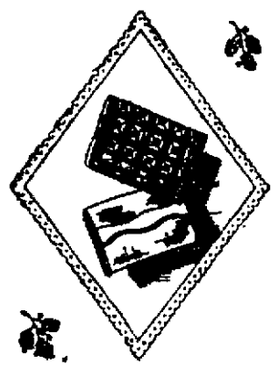
—Boys' warm winter coats with sheepskin linings and collars of fur are in sizes for boys 6 to 14 at $10.

—Boys' raincoats, made of black and yellow rubber, are good for summer and winter. Sizes 8 to 14. Only $5 each.

—Good looking button-front coat sweaters for boys of 6 to 14 are in maroon and brown. $4.95. Knitted caps $1.50.

—Boys' extra knickers of brown corduroy, sizes 6 to 17, are $1.50. Blouses in sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12, 89c each.

—Boys' shirts of broadcloth, percale and poplin, in white and tan, neck sizes 12 to 14, are $1 to $1.95.
THIRD FLOOR



Gift Suggestions

Smart Under-arm Purses $5.00

—They are charming under-arm purses in over-flap style, of patent leather and black and brown leather. Moire lined, with inside fittings. They are low priced at $5 ea.
FIRST FLOOR.

Fine Belber Traveling Bags, $6.95

—Of brown leather, with solid leather handles and sewed corners, these "belber" traveling bags are very good looking and very durable. Lined with leather. The 18-inch size is low priced at $6.95.
FIRST FLOOR.

Women's Dainty Glove Silk Vests, $2.50

—They are very dainty, very well made "Forest Mills" vests of fine glove silk, in pink, with shoulder straps of silk ribbon. They are good values at this price of $2.50.
FIRST FLOOR.

Women's Glove Silk Bloomers at $3.50

—These "Forest Mills" bloomers of glove silk in pink are to match the silk vests described above. They are priced $3.50 a pair.
FIRST FLOOR.

Brushed Wool Coat Sweaters, $4.95

—They are pretty sweaters in button-front style, with clever small collars and long sleeves. Colors are green buff and powder blue. Sizes 16 to 40. Special, $4.95 each.
SECOND FLOOR

Women's New Gingham House Frocks

—They are pretty frocks of gingham and percale, in plain colors, and in checked and striped patterns. Sizes 16 to 52. $1 to $3.95 each.
SECOND FLOOR

Gift Tips

From the Gift Shop

ARTISTIC book ends of polychrome, in 10 different styles and sizes, are in a special group at $1.25 a pair.

—Framed pictures, reproductions of famous originals, are here in many sizes. They are priced $1 to $10 each.

—Framed mottoes, poems and epigrams, artistically printed, with frames of polychrome, are priced 60c to $2.25 each.

—Large oblong mirrors of clear glass, with frames of polychrome, are $1.25 each.

—Smoking stands with heavy bases and stands of metal in black, green and brown, and insets of glass, are $2 each.

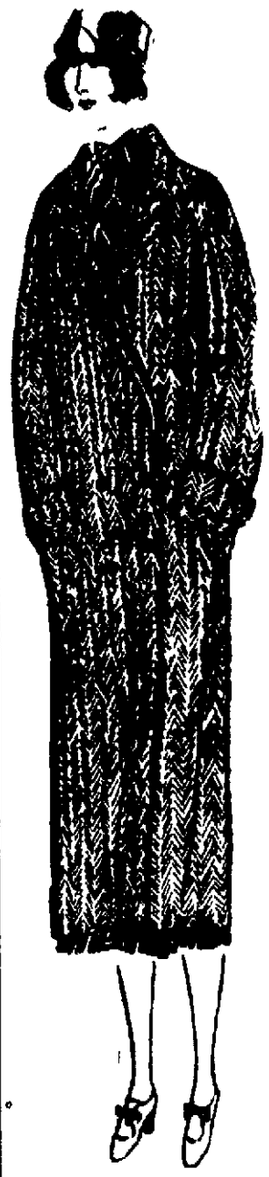
—Smoking sets of nickel, copper and brass, with colored insets for ashes, are in several sizes, at 50c to $6.50.

—Mantel clocks, with gongs or chimes to sound the hours, are in many sizes and designs, at $13.50 to $65 each.

—Gold and pearl handled knives with gold link watch chains to match, are here in many styles, at $1.75 to $5 each.

—Silver and gold watch chains are $1 to $2 each.
FOURTH FLOOR

GUSHARD BARGAIN BASEMENT



Saturday!

Sport Coats $6.95

IT'S not often that you find coats like these at a price anywhere near so low as $6.95. They are extraordinary values.

—They are coats of wool, in solid browns, tans and greys, and in plaid and stripe designs which combine these colors, and others.

—They are in youthful straight styles, without belts, and they have large shawl collars. Many models, in sizes 16 to 44. $6.95.

A Sale of

Wool Dresses Silk Dresses $7.95

—There are sports dresses of flannels in striped and checked patterns.

—There are street dresses of wool twills in black and navy and brown.

—There are modish youthful dresses of satin in black and brown.

—They are well made good looking dresses, formerly priced much higher, special now at $7.95 each.

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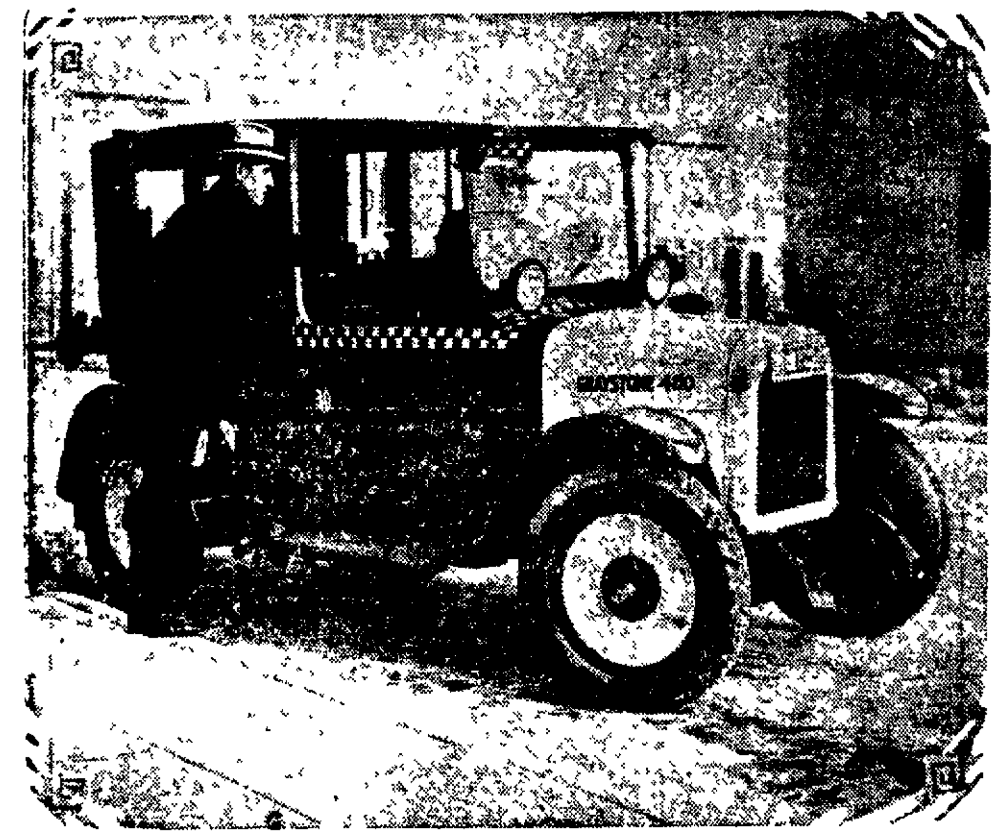
'The Loves of Eunice and Claude'—No. 5



RISKING the last dollar in his impoverished pocket, Claude Marvin charters a taxicab to set out in pursuit of the rich and lovely Eunice Blake. For what happens next see tomorrow's Daily Review.

RADIO

Programs

(Decatur time)

Friday Program.

CHICAGO STATIONS

6 p m —
[illegible]

10 p m —
[illegible]
WMAQ [illegible]
WLS [illegible]
WGN (37) [illegible]

7 p m —
KYW (576) [illegible]
WLS [illegible]

and Glenn Rowell Wabash Ave Y M C A quartet
WQJ (448) Dinner concert by Ralph Williams Rainbo Gardens orchestra Carl G Linner pianist Ingram Cleve [illegible] violinist and Dorothe Schubert J [illegible] Slay soprano
WEBH (370) [illegible] er Beach Orchestra M [illegible] Clarence Dickson [illegible] and Frank Bordner ba [illegible]

9 p m —
W [illegible] (345) Isham Jones College Inn orchestra Wabash Ave Y M C A quartet
[illegible] (448) — Studio program

[illegible] p m —
WMAQ (447 5)— Weekly Wide Awake [illegible]
[illegible]

9 p m —
[illegible] feature [illegible]

stories by Hal S Ray Ford and Glenn
WQJ 448 — Ralph Williams Rainbo Skylarks Verdi Trio banjo mandolin and accordion Nibs Allen contralto Rogers Boys Larry and Billy Monogram Trio Frank Blasko the boy tenor James [illegible] Whalen tenor
W [illegible] (3 0) — Jazz dance hour by the [illegible] and Blue stone dance orchestras

11 p m —
WEBH (37) Edgewater Beach Oriole orchestra the Three M[illegible] Steers tenor solo Sandy Meek songs Nick Lucas [illegible] instrumental numb[illegible] Edgewater Beach Trio
[illegible] Midnight R[illegible] continued featuring Coon Sanders [illegible] [illegible] on the McVi[illegible]

OTHER STATIONS

6 p m —
[illegible]

6 15 p m —
[illegible] — Stewart [illegible]

6 30 p m —
[illegible] — Omaha Half hour music
WDAF (39) — [illegible] Children's [illegible]
[illegible]
WCAP (469) — Washington Program
WJZ (455) — New York City Orchestra music
WCAE (462) — Pittsburgh Uncle Kaybee
WAHG (316) — Long Island Dance orchestra
W[illegible] (278) — Mooseheart Organ concert

6 45 to 7 45 p m —
W[illegible] (283) — Oak Park Melody Boys on [illegible] piano Black Cat orchestra [illegible]
W[illegible] (380) — Schenectady Health talk
WO[illegible] (451) — Davenport Sport news and [illegible]

7 p m —
W[illegible] (2) South Bend Musical program
WJZ (455) — New York City Wall Street Journal review
WJAR (360) — Providence Brown university dance orchestra
[illegible] (286) — Berrien Springs Bedtime story
WGR (319) — Buffalo Santa Claus
WNAC (278) — Boston Musical program
WHB (411) — Kansas City [illegible] piano solo

7 15 p m —
W[illegible] — Schenectady Drama The [illegible]
WJY (405) — New York City Talk [illegible]
WJJD (278) — Mooseheart Solos by Mooseheart children orchestra music and talk

7 30 p m —
WBAP (476) — Fort Worth Program
KDKA (326) — East Pittsburgh Concert
WCCO (417) — St Paul Minneapolis Talk
WHAS (400) — Louisville Concert
WAHG (316) — Long Island Songs with ukulele
WCAE (462) — Pittsburgh Musical program
[illegible] (455) — New York City Baritone solo
W[illegible] (509) — Philadelphia [illegible]

7 50 p m —
WCAP (469) — Washington Christmas [illegible]

8 p m —
WJZ (455) — New York City Radio [illegible]
K[illegible] (509) — Oakland Organ program
WGR (319) — Buffalo Orchestra music
WOS (440 9) — Jefferson City Address musical program
WJY (405) — New York City Orchestra music
W[illegible] (484) — Davenport Musical program
WAHG (316) — Long Island Radio Santa [illegible]
W[illegible] (266) — Elgin Special program for benefit of ex service men confined to the Elgin Sanitarium featuring the [illegible] five dance orchestra The American Legion quartet artists from the LaFonsa College of Music and other entertainers

8 30 p m —
WCCO (417) — St Paul Minneapolis Twin City Lines band
WFAA (476) — Dallas Musical recital
WCAL (360) — Northfield Book talk
KOB (360) — State College New Mexico Music
WMC (500) — Memphis Orchestra music
WHO (526) — Des Moines Banjo guitar and mandolin music

8 45 p m —
KFI (469) — Los Angeles Aeolian organ recital

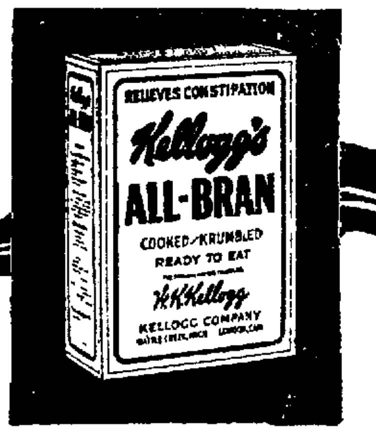
9 p m —
WBZ (337) — Springfield Mass Musical program
WSOE (246) — Milwaukee Christmas fund program
WMH (309) — Cincinnati Vocal and instrumental music
WAHG (316) — Long Island String quartet
WDAR (395) — Philadelphia Dance orchestra
WOAW (526) — Omaha Old time music
WCAP (469) — Washington Dance music
KSD (546) — St Louis Program
WGR (319) — Buffalo Concert
WTAY (283) — Oak Park Concert by George H Clark on Grace Episcopal church organ

9 20 p m —
KFGZ (286) — Berrien Springs, Clarinet solo

9 30 p m —
WBAP (476) — Fort Worth Mandolin orchestra
KHJ (395) — Los Angeles Organ recital
WOO (509) — Philadelphia Dance program
WGY (380) — Schenectady. Van Curler Serenaders
WJZ (455) — New York City Orchestra music

9:45 p m —
WAHG (316) — Long Island Rialto Syncopaters

10 p m —
WBZ (337) — Springfield Concert.
WMH (309) — Cincinnati Musical program
KLX (509) — Oakland Studio program
WJAR (360) — Providence. Biltmore Hotel orchestra.



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If you eat bran it is because you seek relief from constipation and toxic poisoning!

To get the relief your physician will tell you that bran will give—you must be certain to get Kellogg's, BECAUSE it is ALL BRAN! That is the kind your physician intends you to eat.

You only delay positive relief when you eat foods with a partial bran content, because they can only help you in proportion to the amount of bran they contain! You haven't time to waste on 25 per cent or 50 per cent relief when you know that Kellogg's will give you 100 per cent relief BECAUSE IT IS ALL BRAN!

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If you would realize how delicious Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is—cooked, krumbled and ready to eat—and what it means to your health—you would not lose a minute starting to eat it! All grocers sell Kellogg's ALL-BRAN in the Red and Green package.

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the original BRAN—ready to eat

ROBERT WAIT RADIO ADVISOR

The Radio club of the Fond du Lac (Wis) high school for which Robert Wait of Decatur is faculty advisor, will broadcast a special program Thursday night at about 9 p m from station KFIZ, Fond du Lac, on a 273 meter wave length The program will be of an hour's duration and will consist of music, talks, readings and novelty numbers

Robert Wait, who is the son of Mr and Mrs C A Wait of Decatur is a member of the faculty of the high school there and a month ago took over the radio club The club proposes to broadcast programs frequently

10:30 p. m —
WOAW (526)—Omaha Orchestra music
WBZ (337)—Springfield Dance music

10 45 p. m —
WSB (429)—Atlanta String band

11 p m —
KFI (469)—Los Angeles Examiner studio program
WMC (500)—Atlanta Midnight Frolic

11 30 p m —
KLX (509) Oakland Program
WJJD (278) Mooseheart Request program of organ music

11 45 p m —
WDAF (411)—Kansas City Nighthawk Frolics

12 midnight—
KFI (469) —Los Angeles Vocal concert
KHJ (395)—Los Angeles Biltmore Hotel orchestra

Saturday Program.

Courtesy of Radio Digest
(By Associated Press)

WGR Buffalo (319) 6 music
WOC Davenport (484) 7 Sandman 7 30 religious discussion [illegible] orchestra
WMAQ Chicago News (447 5) 8 band 8 orchestra 8 10 radio photologue 9 Chicago theater review
WLS Chicago (345) 7 Trip to Norway 7 15 L review night
KYW Chicago (536) 6 35 Uncle Bob 7 concert 8 musical 9 05 Youth's Companion 9 35 late show 12 2 carnival or orchestra
WQJ Chicago (448) 7 concert 10-2 Rainbo Skylarks
WTAM Cleveland (390) 8 dance program
WFAA Dallas News (476) 8 30 recital, 11 orchestra
WWJ Detroit News (517) 6 News orchestra
KNX Hollywood (337) 8 music 10 feature 12 orchestra 1 jazz singer
WDAF Kansas City Star (411) 6 7 School of the Air 11 45 Nighthawks
KHJ Los Angeles Times (395) 8 concert 8 30 children 10 feature 12 dance
WHAS Louisville Courier Times (400) 7 30 9 concert trio xylophone solos
KFSG Los Angeles (278) 3 30 religious service sermon
WMC Memphis Commercial Appeal (500) 8 bedtime 8 30 concert
CKAC Montreal (425) 6 [illegible] concert or [illegible] 7 30 ent[illegible] 9 30 orchestra
WJJD Mooseheart (278) [illegible] 12 dance music
WJZ New York (455) [illegible] orchestra 9 [illegible] dance
WEAF New York (492) 8 concert 10 orchestra
WOR New[illegible] (405) [illegible] 7 15 [illegible] 8 [illegible] [illegible] enter[illegible]
KGO Oakland (312) 8 orchestra 10 [illegible] Van Wirkle [illegible] 12 orchestra
WTAY [illegible] (283) 6 15 [illegible] [illegible]
WOAW Omaha [illegible] 6 30 program [illegible] 9 program 11 [illegible]
WDAR Philadelphia (395) [illegible] 7 [illegible] concert 10 [illegible]
WFI Philadelphia (395) 6 [illegible]
KDKA Pittsburgh (326) 6 [illegible] feature [illegible] 30 in [illegible] music baritone
WCAE Pittsburgh (462) 6 45 [illegible] 7 [illegible]
KGW Portland (492) 12 orchestra
KPO San Francisco (423) 10 orchestra
KFOA Seattle (455) [illegible] orchestra 11 concert 12 orchestra
WBZ Springfield (337) 6 [illegible] bedtime 6 30 [illegible] 7 [illegible] program [illegible] concert 9 quartet 10 30 orchestra
WBDR [illegible] Island (273) [illegible] solo 7 30 [illegible] 7 [illegible]
KSD St Louis Post Dispatch (546) 8 concert 11 [illegible] dance

ARCOLA POULTRY SHOW JAN. 28-31

Chamber of Commerce Finances Affair.

Arcola Dec 1 —The third annual Arcola Poultry Show will be held this year on Jan 28 29 30 and 31 in the basement of the Arcola theater The show is financed by the Arcola Chamber of Commerce and very liberal inducements are offered to exhibitors No entry fees are charged and the birds are handled free of charge

Prof W G Davsinger agricultural instructor in the high school, is manager Charles Fishel of Hope Ind is to do the judging

GLEE CLUB

The high school girls interested in chorus work have organized a glee club Cleda Woodworth is president Bessie Pollock vice president Mabel Edgar, secretary, Thelma Schaffer librarian Practices are held each Tuesday and Thursday afternoons under the direction of Miss LeNore Kriege Miss Frances Dolle is accompanist

The club has arranged to give a Christmas program at the high school auditorium Monday night Dec 22 at 8 o'clock

On Tuesday evening between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock the Glee Club girls plan to go caroling and will serenade each house where a lighted candle burns in the front window There probably will be two groups of singers

ACCEPTS PASTORATE

Rev G W Stoddard has accepted a call from the official board of the Arcola Baptist church to remain as pastor for another year Mr. Stoddard is now in his fourth year as pastor of this church, an indication that his work here has been acceptable He has in fact been energetic and untiring in his labors and under his administration the church has grown and prospered Throughout the community he has numerous friends who are pleased that he is to remain Mr Stoddard's family reside at Decatur

DIED IN NEWTON

J H Romack father of R L Romack of Arcola died at his late home in Newton Tuesday morning The death message came with a shock to his son here who had had no intimation that anything was wrong with his father's health Death must have come very unexpectedly

Deceased was about seventy-six years of age He is survived by a widow and nine children Mr and Mrs R L Romack departed Tuesday afternoon for Newton to attend the funeral which was held Thursday

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The household Economics department of the Arcola Woman's Club held its annual Christmas party Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs J P McCann Hostesses were Mrs McCann Mrs Ida Jacoby Mrs G H Damron, Mrs R L Gere Mrs Nettie Matters Mrs Carl Duncan and Miss Pearl Leinheimer The McCann home was adorned with Christmas decorations

There was a short business session and then a couple of hours devoted to contests and stunts This was interrupted to serve a very substantial luncheon the menu including scalloped oysters pickles hot rolls plum pudding with whipped cream, marmalade coffee

SERIOUSLY ILL

Edwin Haley has been seriously ill for the last three weeks with an attack of scarlet fever and is quarantined at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs W E Haley three miles northwest of the city His condition at times has been rather critical as he has a very severe case of the disease but he now appears to be making steady progress toward recovery

IN CHICAGO HOSPITAL

Nolan Williams son of Mr and Mrs Joe Williams of this city underwent a surgical operation performed to afford relief from a severe attack of appendicitis on Tuesday morning at the Illinois Central hospital in Chicago His father and his brother Sumner visited him at the hospital Tuesday afternoon and his father who returned from Chicago Wednesday evening states that his condition is reported as favorable by the surgeon in attendance

The young man is a former Arcola High school football star and is now employed by the Pullman company at Pullman Some months ago he was married to Miss Mildred Owen of [illegible] who was a school mate They kept the news of their wedding secret until a few weeks ago when [illegible]

PILLOWS EXPLODE; CAUSE $4,000 LOSS

Dixon Ill Dec 1 —Explosion of two feather pillows packed in a steel [illegible] which was being heated [illegible] is believed by Fire Marshal Thomas Coffey to have caused a fire which early Thursday morning badly damaged the office of the Dixon Chamber of Commerce records being destroyed and the furniture water soaked The loss is estimated at $4,000 and fully insured

40 CITIES ENTER IN POULTRY SHOW

Galva Ill Dec 1 —Forty cities in Illinois are represented at the annual Galva poultry show one of the largest exhibits of its kind in the state which is being held here The main feature of the exhibit this year is a 22 year old brown leghorn hen owned by Miss [illegible] Larson of Galva

L [illegible] Householder of Bonaparte Ia is the judge of the exhibits and the awards will be announced tonight

BANISH NERVOUSNESS

Wendell's Pills, Ambition Brand, For Run-Down Tired Out People.

If you feel tired out out of sorts despondent mentally or physically depressed get a 60 cent box of Wendell's Pills Ambition Brand at Decatur Drug Co today and take the first big step toward feeling better right away

If you work to hard smoke too much or are nervous Wendell's Pills Ambition Brand will make you feel better in three days or money back from Decatur Drug Co on the first box purchased

As a treatment for affections of the nervous system constipation loss of appetite sleeplessness or Nervous Indigestion get a box of Wendell's Pills Ambition brand today on the money back plan

READ the Review classified ads and stop groping for things in the dark.

RADIO SPECIAL

Get Your Christmas Radio Set Now

SPECIAL PRICES SATURDAY

Day-Fan Complete, Loud Speaker, Batteries, Aerial and Tubes	$150
Crosley Set Complete—1-3 down, balance monthly	$100
"B" Batteries	$1.75 and $3.50
Radex Tubes	$3.00
Cunningham Tubes	$3.75

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'WANTS GAS TAX, DOUBLE LICENSE FEES IN STATE

Carlinville Solon Says Roads Big Problem.

Carlinville, Ill, Dec 12—(P)—A tax on gasoline, a fifty percent increase in automobile license fees, increase of the license rate on commercial trucks, are on the legislative program of State Representative Otto C Sonneman of Carlinville who declares that although we all want hard roads somebody must pay the fiddler''

Speaking of the damage heavy trucks are doing to the roads Mr Sonneman said 'In my judgment if this truck business isn't stopped they will have the roads torn up before we get them paid for.

STOP DIRECT TAX

"I am for a gasoline tax and an increase in automobile license fees in order to prevent a direct tax, because I believe it is inevitable unless this is done I am also in favor of making an appropriation to connect all the gaps in the various towns throughout the state and for strict economy, as the subject of taxes has become a serious problem in this country from the smallest taxing body to the federal government'

Regarding a shorter session, Mr Sonnemann said 'I have been and am yet, for the shortest possible session. I am willing to spend six days a week if necessary to bring this about'

CITY TREES HURT BY CONDITIONS'

Rochelle Ill Dec 12—(P)—Trees in the city do not grow as luxuriantly as those in forests because conditions in a city are very much less favorable to tree growth according to P L Phelps scientific forester here who has recently received requests from several Illinois mayors for information on the care of trees

'Roots are often cut off or injured" Mr Phelps said and the root system materially lessened during the construction of sidewalks pavements and sewers in cities. This lessened root system is unable to supply food in sufficient quantities to support so large a spread of branches and the top must therefore be pruned to balance the feeding power of the roots

AIR AND WATER

Pavements and sidewalks also cut off greatly the supply of air and water and without a liberal supply of these essentials, the tree is unable to attain its maximum growth Also trees are often incorrectly planted—spaced too closely together and often placed in situations unsuited to the variety planted All these factors tend to weaken the tree and to lessen its resistance to the attack of insects and fungi making expert attention necessary.

To obtain satisfactory results it is necessary that cities own and control all street trees This should be done under the control of an unpaid forestry commission which in turn employs a city forester who has direct charge of the work of caring for the trees

COOLIDGE ATTENDS PITNEY FUNERAL

Washington Dec 11—President Coolidge several members of the cabinet Chief Justice Taft and Associate Justices of the supreme court attended funeral services Thursday for former Associate Justice Pitney who died here Tuesday

RUSH WAS READY TO QUIT WORK EVERY MORNING AT TEN O'CLOCK

Woodford Street Man Says He Felt Tired Before His Day's Work Had Begun. Was In Badly Run Down Condition. Takes Pepgen And Now Feels Splendid.

10,000 Bottles of System Tonic Have Been Sold in Decatur, Quaker Drug Co. Say.

Authur Rush 735 N Woodford St Decatur says I suffered with stomach trouble for several years—there were really several years of misery I became run down generally and my work was a hardship I felt tired before the day's tasks had even started and many times I was ready to quit and go home by ten o'clock

'I tried every kind of treatment that was recommended including medicines electrical treatments rubbing treatments vibrators medical baths and other methods but all to no avail Nothing helped me

'Every time I ate a mouthful of food my stomach swelled up like a balloon I felt stuffy and uncomfortable My stomach would fill with gas which pressed up against my heart, causing it to palpitate

Pepgen is the only thing that ever helped me I now eat heartily enjoy my food and have no disagreeable after effects And my daily habits are as regular as a clock

Other Decatur People Aided.

Hundreds of Decatur people have been relieved of exactly the same kind of symptoms they are described by Mr Rush in the foregoing statement

The reason why Pepgen reaches those ailments of the stomach, kidneys and liver that sap your strength and make you feel old long before you should, is because it possesses unusual tonic properties It builds up every nerve gland and organ in the body Pepgen fortifies the system against "catching cold' and the dangerous conditions that usually follow a prolonged cold

The best posted authorities tell us that almost every ailment comes from a cold Visit a patient if you please and ask him how his trouble began Nine times out of ten he will say I caught a cold.

We catch cold by some sudden draft or chill If neglected the irritated condition soon inflames the mucous membrane When this inflammation becomes chronic it is a case catarrh The air passages in the nose become swollen and breathing is difficult Dropping of mucous cause the patient to hawk and spit in an endeavor to clear the throat The come watery discharges from the eyes, buzzing noises in the ears and the hearing is affected

Dropping mucous eventually poisons the stomach kidneys and liver Then follow dyspepsia rheumatism low vitality and other sicknesses too numerous to mention

Pepgen is especially combined to combat this condition of health A few doses of it when the trouble first appears will often prevent a long spell of illness

Pepgen can be secured in Decatur only at the Quaker Drug Co It comes packed in a blue white and gold carton There is also a Pepgen dealer in each nearby town. Look for the Pepgen sign

The following are some of the nearby town dealers

ARCOLA—L. S. Engle.
ASSUMPTION—Louis J. Hafner
BEMENT—W. W. Davis.
BETHANY—Claud B. Smith.
BLUE MOUND—W. R. Graham
CERRO GORDO—John Ferguson.
CLINTON—R. F. Alvey
GIBSON CITY—W. C. Bryant
HINDSBORO—Graham's Drug Store
ILLIOPOLIS—A. P. Bickenbach.
LOVINGTON—Thomas Drug Store.
MONTICELLO—[illegible] W Raycraft
MORRISONVILLE—Homer Williams.
MOWEAQUA—Williams Drug Co
MT. PULASKI—Connolly Drug Co
MT. ZION—Homer Herman.
PANA—Whitman & Marty.
RAYMOND—W. J. Seymour.
SHELBYVILLE—Pate & Demon.
SULLIVAN—J. W. Finley "Rexall"
TAYLORVILLE—Bert Bach.
VANDALIA—Geo. H. Capps
VILLA GROVE—The Hess Store.

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Harry Gloster, square-fisted son of the west, came of a new school that did not understand quick-fingered gunmen nor split seconds that meant life and death.

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BY MAX BRAND

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For a Better Decatur

THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.

Roads.
Parks and Play Grounds.
Railroad Problems.
Better School Facilities.

BETTER EARLY THAN LATE.

On December 19 Bement will vote on a proposal to issue $18,000 in bonds to get an additional water supply. There is some movement in the town to get out a good vote.

There are two distinct times to vote on water bonds. Some cities wait until after the disastrous fire has come along; in others the big fire waits on the city's vote.

Towns do well to take up this little matter while there is still a chance to make a big saving, by having plenty water when the conflagration threatens. In this way the expense of the water system is saved almost before a start is made.

Of course the water supply will come soon or late; and there will be bonds to pay for it. It isn't a charge that can be sidestepped by waiting until after the big fire. If they have waited, they will then get the supply; and of course they might have done better.

It is out of the question for a city to try to get along without plenty water. Sometimes the thing is attempted, but after a little while they are sure to change plans. Doing without water is simply something that isn't done.

Some are a little late about providing a supply, but always they regret this. Water, police protection and schools, cities must have; and if shy on any of these we can't keep house.

SOME CASES ARE AUTOMATIC.

The county is offering a reward of $500 "for the arrest and conviction of any murderer whose crime was committed in Macon county; also a reward of $250 for "the arrest and conviction of each robber committing his crime in Macon county."

The quoted words are not from the resolution adopted by the board, for a copy of it is not at hand. But it is assumed that the news report of the proceeding, from which quotations are made, is substantially accurate.

The wording may be thought to be a trifle broad, to let us in for something more than we thought is in the bargain. There are killings in which there is no doubt about arrest and trial of the killer; it comes along as a matter of course. In fact these are a majority of the "murder" cases that we do get into court.

There is no objection to offering $500 for the arrest and conviction of a killer in cases where something special and out of the ordinary may be needed to insure court action. But there are cases in which the $500 might be saved without in the least endangering the probability of prosecution.

It is a little different when we get around to the robber and bandit gang; special activity is always called for to get these birds of prey into court.

AN OPEN MIND WILL VARY.

Lawyers for Charles R. Forbes are trying to make much of the fact that the story now told by Elias H. Mortimer vary more or less from the story he told a senate investigating committee a short while since. We wonder how must merit there is in this contention of the defense.

The old and amply supported teaching is that if two witnesses view the same performance they are sure to vary in the story they tell when on the witness stand. This is so well established that law books lay it down that if two witnesses agree in all details it is time to begin to view their story with a shade of misgiving; it is an indication that maybe they got together and fixed up their tale.

Maybe it is now time to raise the point that if a witness tells exactly the same story at two different times it is some sign that he conspired with himself to make it up put it down in a private record and got it by heart.

We suspect there should be variation in the story that the same man tells at times that are a few months apart. Take one of ourselves and our pet experiences; we don't see them in the same light now and a year ago.

A man's own mind is not an indelible affair that something is put into it and there it stays forever without so much as a change of a dot over an "i." In fact what is in the mind takes on modifications every day. The mind today will not get the details as a month hence; just the same as two witnesses will not see a performance alike.

NET THING WE FORGET.

The chief of the fire department asks that you do not call out all the apparatus in town when there is a fire in the chimney. He tells that one piece of apparatus together with the good men who are sure to go along, is all that is needed to take care of the little chimney crisis. Of course he is right about this.

But it will be difficult to get this firmly fixed in the minds of citizens of the town, that is to fix in their minds the kind of call they should turn in when it is a chimney only.

The directions are to call O at central and tell there is a chimney fire, giving street and number. Central will do the rest.

This was detailed a short while since, and for a time was found to work well. Then folks began to forget the modus operandi, and now the entire department is called to a fire in the chimney.

The difficult thing is to get our people to remember to call O and then tell it is just a chimney fire. Every reader of the papers will keep it in mind a little while, say from five minutes to five years.

But the time comes when they do forget. There are people who don't remember prayers they recited thousands of times when they were young and innocent. And what is to be done when a man forgets?

WOULDN'T IT BE GRAND?

There are a few days when we have a temperature that hovers around 32 degrees, just at the freezing point. We have just enough of these to keep us reminded that a whole winter got up to that specification would be a grand thing.

That is if one is in position to relish a taste of winter. Some prefer to have winter at 70 degrees, and they have been provided for down in Florida. But some of us must stay in the Garden Spot, and we would be pleased to have a winter that sticks pretty close to 32.

To be sure we don't get it, know that we shall not. The season we do have runs all the way from 60 above to 24 below. This is something different, and it keeps us guessing all the time.

But a winter staying around 32 would be grand, yes indeed. One imagines that if we could have them like this very few people would bother themselves to get away to Florida or California.

Of course we can't have what we are thinking about, but it doesn't hurt anybody to wish we might.

A BANKER AND HIS PACES.

There is an old adage that a shoemaker should stick to his last. The late August Belmont didn't believe in this; and still he made good in any and all of the many lines he tackled.

He started out as a banker, and usually that is the wrong start to make if a man is looking for a life with variety in it. Belmont broke away from all the old traditions.

He got into city transportation, then went ahead and took in railroads. Life insurance appealed to him, so of course he indulged. They in time made him a director in more than a score of corporations that do big things in and around New York.

All the time he felt there was more speed in him. He eased up this urge by going into horse racing. The nags in the open market were some times not to his liking, so he took to breeding race horses.

In this he hit the top mark, selling one horse he bred for $264,000, which to this day remains the record price.

There was a man who could do any of a hundred things, do all of them at the same time. And he started in the world as a mere banker.

We did not dream there are such possibilities ahead of the banker; he kept the thing a secret from us. Next time we see a banker we shall say, "There goes a man who might have the world by the tail."

DIDN'T MISS IT FAR.

It was as long ago as fifty years that they used a big knife here in Decatur to cut out working shirts and overalls.

There used to be a saying that a garment looked as if it had been cut with an ax. But we guess it wasn't quite that.

Read the leeway on mailing dates for Christmas packages, and don't wait till the last minute. Another reminder to shop early.

Kid McCoy expresses confidence in the outcome of his trial for murder, but he can't get insurance on it.

It occurs to an observer that S. Glenn Young is a pretty much arrested man, and there must be more bonds on him than the government carries.

An occasional housefly still buzzes around, but we take a swat at him even if he is a survivial of the fittest.

We do a good deal of talking about law enforcement, but the crooks don't seem to dread or take us seriously.

There must be a great lot of fine lamps in Decatur homes, but shopkeepers go on the theory there is no saturation point.

When he is coaching and laying it over opponents they call Zuppke "Bob," but on the lecture platform they write it "Robert."

It begins to look as if the town will behave handsomely in the matter of taking care of Mrs. Schikowski, and it surely should.

Everybody in town seems to understand that a good place to put some of the insurance is on the burglar-proof safe.

They called in some day men to watch the safe at night, but it doesn't mean they had to go without sleep.

This man Elias H. Mortimer never could have been much of an angel, and so we wonder how Forbes happened to tie up with him.

It is only now that Danville is voting on commission form, and we thought that town got religion ten years ago.

If that policeman ever calls you to help him make an arrest, be sure to start in by borrowing his gun.

THE RAZZ-BERRY BUSH

Duck Soup.

The Bush had heard of those battues (word learned in crossword puzble) along the Illinois River where one is guaranteed his limit of ducks, on payment of a fat sum to the impoverished resident farmer. But we had not until recently had details direct from such contributors.

It appears that one is led to a steam-heated blind, furnished with rocking-chairs, rugs, and folding beds. There the hunter awaits the birds, which are conveniently sent over in flight from an adjoining pond.

Such parlorized sport excites derisive howls from your old-timers, and from present-day hunters of our outlying states. There, where the well known great open spaces are still a succession of sloughs, the ancient technique is observed. This consists of crawling on one's belly on a muddy shore after the wise old mallards.

But both varieties of hunters will join forces to refute the malignant derogation of a Kansas editor, that "the average duck hunter is a liar. He will crawl out of bed at 4 a. m., ride many miles in the cold morning air for the privilege of shooting some inpocent little ducks, which do not grade up to a second class beefsteak for eating qualities. But he will come back to town and spread himself all over the place bragging what a grand time he had, when as a matter of fact, he wished he was back in his warm bed and faced a breakfast of eggs and bacon. The only cure for this species of liar is old age and rheumatism."

Up and at him! This Kansas lounger has evidently never tasted of a breast of a blue wing teal, which is as superior to steak as blueberry pie is to bread pudding.

And he'll be bed-ridden long before those who like the crisp air of early winter and the sound of wings overhead as a flock of birds cross a pass. His idea of a vigorous pastime is a parcheesi tournament with his maiden aunts.

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Giacomo Puccini, the opera composer who intrepidly made an American make love in Italian to a Japanese girl, left an estate of a million dollars, or almost as much as was received by the man who wrote "Yes, We Have No Bananas."

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A discerning observer declares that man is queer, he notices a pretty ankle three blocks away while driving a motor car in a crowded street, but will fail to notice, in the open country-side, the approach of a locomotive the size of a school-house and accompanied by forty-two box cars.

The natural comeback of the motorist, of course, is to ask the observer how he discovered the fact.

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Uncle Zeke says that another Christmas custom that should be discouraged, along with jokes on cigars and ties, is the making of parodies on "'Twas the Night before Christmas." He has counted eight of them already this season.

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Speaking of duck hunting, the opening up of upper Lake Decatur for this purpose had no effect in increasing the number of hunters, it is reported. Evidently, it was just like permitting Willie to help himself to the jam. J. V.

Guaging Their Party Status By Breakfasts

Coolidge Isn't Asking Backsliders to His Morning Parties.

Washington, Dec. 12—"Have you had your bacon and eggs and griddle cakes with New England maple sirup?" This is a common inquiry of a congressman these days. Nearly every Republican senator can answer the question in the affirmative, and a good many Republican members of the house are able to answer, "Yes." Before this session of the congress ends many more members of the house will take pride in saying they have been served with this typical New England breakfast.

The Coolidge breakfasts for the Republican members of the senate and house of representatives are the talk of the town. It is not the first time a President has invited members of the congress to break bread with him, but these breakfasts are a little different from any that have gone before.

CASUAL AND FRIENDLY.

First, the President went down the line of Republican senators, and those senators testified that public business was hardly mentioned at the breakfasts. Senators are also authority for the statement that the President did little talking, but seemed to take satisfaction in the good appetites displayed by his guests. Members of the house of representatives, who thus far have been favored with invitations, report that the President has not brought up public business with them except in a very casual way.

GETTING ACQUAINTED.

The invitations to these breakfasts have not discriminated between those Republicans who will leave the congress March 4 and those who will be members of the new congress. Obviously, however, the President, in giving the breakfasts, is seeking to establish a proper relationship between the White House and the congress which officially will come into existence March 4, although it probably will not meet until later in the year.

STRONG FOR TEAMWORK.

President Coolidge is strong for teamwork. He would not attempt to drive the congress as did Wilson, nor would he stay away from it as did Harding. He believes the executive department and the legislative branch should work together for the good of the people, and he believes that when a political party is in control of the executive branch, and also has a majority in the congress there should be effective co-operation.

QUERIES LATER.

So these breakfasts that are proving so satisfying to the 8:30 a. m. appetites of Republican senators and representatives are designed to lay the foundation for effective co-operation between the White House and the Republican majority in the new congress. In due time perhaps, the President will bring forward at these breakfasts the question as to just what is to be undertaken in the way of legislation by the new congress, but that time is some distance in the future. The present bacon, eggs and griddle cake era is only preliminary to what is to come later on.

THE UNINVITED.

Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, and his followers in the senate and house, who flew the Republican coop in the recent campaign, have not been invited to these breakfasts, but they do not appear to feel hurt about it. The Democrats have also been ignored, but they do not take this to heart. The followers of La Follette and the Democrats realize that the Republicans, since they are in control in every branch of the government, have the responsibility, and so deem it perfectly proper for the President to be attempting to open the way for good work.

ABOUT TOWN

"HEY, lookit Sampson out there in the street carrying a church steeple."

"Yeh, and his partner there is running off with our Community Chest."

It was a strangely performing trio that paraded up along West Railroad avenue, then along Mercer street and again down along the Wabash tracks Wednesday night.

Closer investigation showed that one was carrying a small radio aerial, another a small radio set and the third some other equipment. Evidently they were testing the effects of the Illinois Power and Light corporation's high tension wires and the Railway and Light company's power house in that neighborhood. Part of their traveling was along under the high tension wires.

WINDSOR TO VOTE ON ROAD OIL BONDS

Windsor, Dec. 12.—Windsor township voters are to vote on next Saturday on the proposition to issue $7,000 in bonds annually for a period of five years, total $35,000, the money to be used in oiling certain roads of the township. A list and description of the roads to be oiled may be seen at Town Clerk Garvin's office.

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Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.
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THE BUSINESS OF AN UNCLE.

It's the business of an uncle, which I've frequently expressed,
To buy the toys and candies which the youngsters like the best,
And although the dads and mothers must at times some joys refuse,
An uncle's proper function is to give 'em what they choose.

It may be a mother's duty now and then to mutter "no,"
And a wise and proper father should not every sweet bestow,
But with nephews and with nieces every uncle worth his salt
Should disdain all such restrictions and be generous to a fault.

Now I know the uncle business, In these very prosperous times
He should always, on his visits, take a pocketful of dimes,
And of course if there is something which the parents have denied,
It's an uncle's job to buy it just to keep them satisfied.

It's the duty of the parents to be strict and very stern
And to teach those little rascals all the lessons they must learn,
But an uncle's job is different. He's another sort of man,
And the business of an uncle is to spoil 'em if he can.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

FORGIVING.

"Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors."—Matt. 6:12.

This is not a bargain counter, yet it is one of the most searching of Jesus' ideals. Here the shoe often pinches: forgiven as we forgive! God does not travel the mud road to enter our lives when we refuse to travel the hard road with our neighbor.—Rev. Charles E. Reidt, pastor First Congregational Church of Decatur.

NEW DIRECTORY FOR BUILDERS

Will Contain Names Contractors, Architects and Others.

A directory containing the names of all builders, contractors, supply men, architects and all others concerned in the building trades in Illinois is being compiled by the McCoy Directory Co., of Rockford, which is now engaged in putting out the 1925 Decatur city directory.

The builders' directory will be one of the most complete ever put out and is being published by the Associated Building Contractors' association of Illinois of which Roy Cope of Decatur is an officer.

NAVY OKEHS AIR ADVISORY PLANS

Washington, Dec. 12—Recommendations of the national advisory committee for aeronautics sent to congress by President Coolidge, were approved by the navy department as regards steps necessary to stabilize the aircraft industry.

INSURANCE RECORDS SHOW DECREASE IN U. S. DEATH RATE

30,000 Less Than in 1923, Claim.

New York, Dec. 12.—Life insurance death claims for the first ten months of the current year reflect marked improvement in the health of the people of the United States during 1924, according to original statistics presented to the Eighteenth Annual Convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents here this morning, by Dr. Oscar H. Rogers, chief medical director of the New York Life Insurance company.

Notwithstanding the normal average increase expected in population during 1924, the life insurance mortality records indicate that there will be 30,000 fewer deaths this year than during 1923, when the total deaths in the United States amounted to 1,360,000.

AUTOS AND SUICIDE.

Automobile accidents and suicides are practically the only causes among adult deaths that show an increase in rate over 1923. Noteworthy reductions are recorded in influenza and typhoid fever. In typically children's diseases, an increased death rate is indicated in meningitis, diarrhea, enteritis, and scarlet fever, while there has been a substantial falling-off in measles, diphtheria and whooping cough.

THE DECREASE.

"These figures indicate a decrease in the death rate of insured lives from 870 per 100,000 for 1923 to 825 per 100,000 for 1924. On the assumption that the improved health conditions herein reflected are representatives of the health conditions of the entire population, which seems reasonable, owing to the wide distribution of insured lives, the total number of deaths in the United States for 1924 will probably approximate 1,330,000, or a decrease of 30,000 from the 1,360,000 total deaths last year.

"The Death rate from automobile accidents, including both adults and children, for the first ten months of 1924 was 15.7 per 100,000, as compared with 14.8 per 100,000 for the first ten months of 1923; 12.9 for 1922; 12.2 for 1921 and 10.8 for 1920. Using the experience of these companies as a basis, the total number of deaths from automobile accidents in this country for 1924 may be estimated at 17,750 as compared with 16,450 for last year.

WAR CAN BE PUT AWAY, CHURCH TOLD

Chicago, Dec. 12—Charles F. Wishart, president of Wooster College, Wooster, Ohio, and former moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly, told the Presbyterian national conference Thursday night that the most dangerous atheism of the day was the belief held "by many nominal christians" that war cannot be abolished.

"In God's name let us learn that war is not inevitable," he said.

The Story of Decatur

50 YEARS AGO TODAY

(As Told by The Daily Republican.)

"Rough" is no name for the roads in the country.

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For the last few days Moses Jerome of Dixon, Ill., has been in our city looking about with the view of removing his establishment for the manufacture of flax bagging to Decatur.

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At Goldstein's saloon last night the large organ he has just brought over from Paris, France, was played, and it attracted a large crowd. The organist was first class, and the music perfectly splendid.

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The auction of spring wagons is going on this afternoon.

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Decatur painters now are putting in their time at painting signs for our merchants.

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Ben F. Dodson is soon to open up a large auction and commission house in this city.

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E. H. Mills will move his bakery and confectionery into his new quarters, two doors east of the new post office, next Monday.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review)

The Decatur police gave their first annual ball, which was attended by 500 people. Desk Sargant P. H. Coe and Miss Alice Cox led the grand march.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review).

Already 400 fowls had arrived for the poultry show to be held in the carriage room of Leon and Morris' store.

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Dr. Foster Waltz spoke to the High school seniors on the manners of the people met in Germany.

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The Uneeda Biscuit flag floated over the St. Nicholas hotel which indicated the arrival of that company in town to prepare for the reception to be given by the National Biscuit company.

TEN YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review).

Blue Mound farmers had lost $6,000 from the corn stalk disease, occuring in horses.

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Ross Hockaday's genral store at Oreana burned with a loss of about $8,000.

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It was Saturday and between 3,000 and 5,000 people from outside the city came to Decatur for Christmas shopping. Most of them came on the interurban.

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The city rest room for tramps had cared for 1,511 sleepers in the last six weeks.

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Members of the Decatur baseball association met and heard a report showing $9,200 loss here during the last season.

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Robert Farles gave twenty-five barrels of flour for the starving Belgians, making seventy-six in all now contributed by Decatur people.

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J. J. Moran bought out the interest of his partner, J. A. Borbett in the Moran-Corbett building.

Little Benny's Notebook

Pop was smoking and thinking with his feet up last nite and ma came in saying, Willyum, you look very comfortable,

I am, as a matter of fact, pop sed, and ma sed, I meen I hate to disterb you.

The dooce you do, pop sed, and ma sed, Yes, but you simply must stand up wile I pin this cloak on you, i simply dan't tell how it looks unless I pin it on somebody.

Yee gods, sutch is life, we're comfortable one minut and gone the next, pop sed. And he stood up and ma put the cloak on his shoulders and started to pin it together with pins out of her mouth, me starting to laff and saying, G pep, maybe you dont look funny.

I feel funny, maybe that explains it, pop sed. Owtch, you ran that pin rite into me, he sed.

Nonsents Willyum, I wasent enyware neer you, ma sed.

Then for heavens sakes dont axually come neer me or Im a ded man, pop sed.

G wizz, pop you look pritty neer as funny as Squidge Jones in a Kut Up Komedy, I sed, and pop sed. I thank you humbly, owtch, yee gods, dont tell me you werent neer me that time.

I certeny wasent, ma sed.

My error, pop sed.

Holey Smokes, pop, youre even funnier looking than Squidge Jones, I sed, and ma sed, Benny, leeve the room.

I wont say eny more, ma, Ill jest stay heer and laff, I sed.

Owtch, hay, owtch, pop sed, and ma sed, Now dont tell me I stuck you that time.

Well, somebody did, and youre the one one happens to be monkeying erround me with pins, pop sed. Owtch, yee gods, this is the end. I havent the faintest ideer whose sticking me but Id had enuff of it, he sed. And he quick threw the cloak on a chair, scratching his hand in 2 places doing it, ma saying, O well, I saw wat I wunted to see.

And I felt a darn site more than I wunted to feel, pop sed. And he got behind the sporting page and stayed there and ma took the cloak back in her room without sticking herself once.

LEE PAGE.

MUNDELEIN NAME OF ILLINOIS TOWN

Waukegan, Ill., Dec. 12.—The name of the village of Area, Ill., where the new St. Marys of the Lake Seminary is located, Thursday night was changed to Mundelein, in honor of George Cardinal Mundelein.

The Gift That Never Disappoints Is
Something To Wear
Make This A Happy Christmas With
Gifts For All --- Buy Here On
CREDIT
And SAVE At Our Great
Christmas Sale

Remarkable Special Values
We make it easy for you to give all the gifts you would like to because we make it *easy for you to pay* and give you *special values* besides.

Appropriate Gifts for Everyone
Practical gifts of clothing are appreciated most. Choosing is easy from our great stock and you don't need cash--buy NOW, pay NEXT YEAR.

Our Store Open Every Evening For Your Convenience

Our Special Christmas Credit Terms —
Buy NOW -- Pay NEXT YEAR

The Union Store
GENEROUS CREDIT TERMS
407 North Water St. Open Evenings

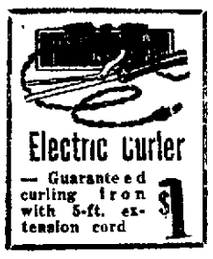
NewspaperARCHIVE® NewspaperARCHIVE®

Here Go 800 Yards
35c Colored Plisse Crepe
—30-in Windsor Plisse Crepe; print. designs, solid colors 35c crepe, yard **25c**

Saturday Sale of
$2.50 Silk & Wool Printed Crepes
—500 yards of 40-in silk and wool crepe in small, medium and large designs; $2.50 retailer. Saturday, yd. **$1.95**

THE STORE THAT MAKES THE PRICE
H. S. GEBHART CO.
GREATER DECATUR'S GREATEST STORE

$1.50 Safety Razor, 49c
—Silver plated safety razor to use the Gillete blades, for **49c**


Electric Curler
— Guaranteed curling iron with 5-ft. extension cord **$1**

Radium Face
Oval Alarm Clock $3.95
—Guaranteed Gilbert alarm clock oval face, radium dial, special at **$3.95**

Golconda Jewelry For Xmas
—It's the gift that pleases; be sure to visit our jewelry department and see the beautiful articles offered at much below the regular retail prices.

Your Gift Money Will Work Wonders at Gebhart's Saturday

—The Store is Full of Exceptional Opportunities Whereby Limited Purses Can Be Made to Cover Big Gift Lists, With Mer chandise Carefully Chosen, for Utility, Quality and Unusual Attractiveness.

1000 Pairs Pigeon Silk Hose
—Beautiful Pigeon pure thread silk hose, full fashioned, well made and shown in black and all the newer shades. They're spring needle knit and very serviceable... **$1.39**

Radmoor Silk Hose At 1.50
—Genuine Radmoor, in all the best shades. Full fashioned; pure silk,

Kayser's Silk Hose At 1.95
—Full fashioned pure thread silk hose; in black and all shades,

Chiffon Hose $2.00
—Very sheer pure silk Chiffon hose, full fashioned; in black and evening shades .. **$2**

Women's Fine Wool Hose $3.00
—ALL-WOOL ENGLINSH WOVEN PLAIDS; TANS AND BLACKS. FULL FASHIONED. ALL SIZES. $3.

Extra Special $1.50 and $2
Pure Silk Hose and Wool Hose
$1 Pr
—Women's pure thread silk hose with fashioned back. Also all-wool and silk and wool hose in black and colors. Plain or fancy styles. All styles come in all sizes. They're real values to $2. At a pair, $1.

Another Big Purchase-Sale
$1.75 Imported Suedine Gauntlets
In The Smartest New Novelty Styles **$**
—These are the latest of high imported novelty gauntlets, of fine texture mocha suedine.
—Styles include the PUFFED CUFF, the APPLIQUED CUFF, the TURN-DOWN CUFF and the PIPED TAILORED CUFF. Each style in all sizes and all colors.
—Women will buy these beautiful gloves Saturday for personal use and for giving.
—$1.50 and $1.75 retailers, $1 pair.

Saturday Special In
Gift Linens
—18x34 hemstitched all-linen huck towels at 75c
—15x25 Italian cut work guest towels. Choice $1.95
—18x32 crash colored border towels, choice at 75c
—72x72 hemmed pure linen pattern cloths, choice $5
—22x22 pure linen napkins to match. At a doz. $6.95
—72x90 all linen double damask cloth, choice $8.95
—36-in. round thread bleached pure linen, yard, $1

Bolster Sets and
Bed Spreads
—81x90 WHITE RIPPELETTE scalloped cut corner spreads **$2.95**
—81x90 COLORED STRIPE spreads; hemmed. Special at each **$2.95**
—81x90 RIPPELETTE SPREADS and sham to match. Choice at **$4.50**
—81x108 RIPPELETTE SPREADS scalloped cut corners. At **$5**
—81x90 KRINKLE BOLSTER sets shown in all colors. Set **$6.50**
—81x108 KRINKLE BED spreads; in several colors Choice **$6.50**
—81x108 ART SILK KRINKLE bed spreads in colors. Choice **$12.50**
—90x108 ART SILK KRINKLE bed spreads in colors. Choice **$15**
—72x108 ART SILK KRINKLE bed spreads in colors. Choice **$9**
—66x108 ART SILK KRINKLE bed spreads in colors. Each **$22.50**

A Sale: Men's GLOVES

Knitted Gloves, $1
—Warm knitted brushed wool gloves for men; grey, brown and green; pair **$1**
Wool Gloves $1.25
—Warm dressy looking wool velour gloves for men, special, a pair .. **$1.25**
Kid Gloves, $1.95
—Fine cape kid gloves for men; warmly lined; special, pair **$1.95**
Kid Gloves, $2.25
—Cape kid and suede mocha gloves for men, camels' hair lined, pair **$2.25**
Boys' Gauntlets at 89c and $1 a Pair

Give Men Shirts
$1.65 Shirts, $1
—Men's 80-sq percale and printed madras shirts, collar attached and neck-band styles. Each **$1**
$2.25 Shirts $1.59
—French-Tex shirts with separable collar to match, extra fine garments, $2.25 shirts **$1.59**
$2.50 Shirts $1.95
—Imported silk broadcloth shirts with attached collars; white, tan, blue, $2.50 shirts **$1.95**

$1
Men's Silk and Wool
Gift Ties, $1
—Exceptionally fine quality of men's silk and wool ties; like the usual $1.50 kinds; each **$1**
Others 50c to $1.50
75c Silk Socks
—Pure thread silk sox in black brown grey and tan, 75c values. **50c**

Men's Sport Coats
—Men's smart looking wool heather sport coats with four pockets, for **$2.95**
Men's Sport Coats
—High grade all wool heather weave sport coats, four pockets, special **$6.95**

On Sale Saturday
1000 Extra Heavy $1.50 Outing Flannel Gowns at $1
—These are women's extra fine, heavy weight outing flannel gowns, cut full and wide and well made. Shown in sizes 16 and 17. Real $1.50 values, special at each

Extreme Values In These
Christmas Slippers
79c and 95c
—Women's padded sole felt slippers in purple, old rose, grey, lavender, American Beauty, sapphire, taupe and brown All sizes.
Other Big Values at $1.45

Men's Felts $1-$1.50

Doll Sale

$1.25 Mama Dolls 95c
—15-in. stuffed mama dolls with non-breakable heads and hands. Neatly dressed. $1.25 value, 95c.

$2.00 Mama Dolls
—20-in mama dolls dressed in pink, blue, and lavender rompers. Pat. slippers. $2 values... **$1.59**

$2.95 Mama Dolls
—Prettily dressed in white, blue and pink dresses and hoods. Pat. leather slippers. $2.95 val. **$2.25**

$4.00 Mama Dolls
—Large voice like mama dolls, prettily dressed and shoed. $4 values: a real bargain, ea. **$2.95**

Beacon Robe Blankets $5.00
—72x90 genuine Beacon and Esmond bathrobe blankets $5

Nashua Supreme Blankets $4.50
—66x80 genuine Nashua Supreme plaid blankets, $4.50.

$4 Axminster Rugs At $2.95
—27x54 Axminster rugs in pretty designs. Each $2.95.

$1.50 Imported Rag Rugs $1
—27x54 imported rag rugs in pretty colors. Special, $1.

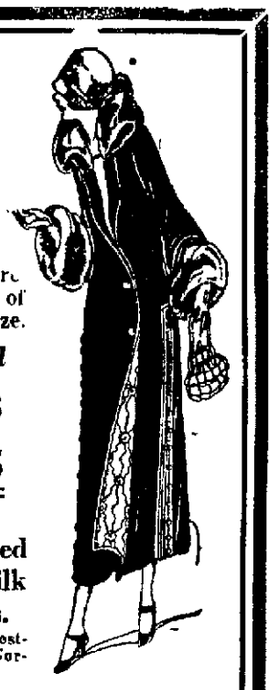
Here Is This Year's Greatest
Coat Sale

—More than 300 handsome coats are in it, at prices as low as will prevail in the January Sales. At this time you have the great advantage of unbroken selection of styles and sizes from a stock of mid-season size.

$25, $30 and **$35 Coats** **$17.75**
—of suede-velour cut-Polaire and rich Flamingo.
—All are beautifully made and lavishly trimmed with furs. Sizes to 44.

$35, $37.50 to **$40 Coats** **$23.75**
—fur collared in the smartest ways, and silk lined.
—Fashioned of high lustre Bolivia, chinchilla and velverette. To 46.

$45, $50 and **$60 Coats** **$33.75**
—all fur trimmed and richly silk crepe lined coats.
—They're coats of the costliest of Bolivia and Normandy coatings, $33.50.



Christmas Sae of
Towel Sets
—TURKISH TOWEL sets—1 towel and 2 wash cloths, 89c and $1.95.
—TURKISH BATH MATS in several new designs. At $1 up to $3.75
—TURKISH TOWELS; fancy, choice at 25c, 50c, 75c, 89c and $1.
—20x36 HEMSTITCHED all linen huck towels; very fine, at 75c.
—15x34 MADERIA hand made all linen towels. Special at $1.35.
—17x32 HUCK TOWELS; well made and durable. Spe. at 50c ea

Sale of Christmas Handkerchiefs
—WOMEN'S VENICE LACE EDGE open Batiste hdkfs; imported, each **50c**
—WOMEN'S SWISS WEAVE hdkfs. with emb. colored corners, 3 in box **59c**
—WOMEN'S ALL LINEN HDKFS. with woven colored borders. Each.. **79c**
—CHILDREN'S FANCY EMBROIDered hdkfs. Three in box. Special . **29c**
—MEN'S ALL LINEN INITIAL hdkfs Very fine; in white. At each **29c**
—MEN'S ALL PURE LINEN INITIAL hdkfs in white only. At each **50c**
This Is Decatur's Christmas Handkerchief Store

$2 Dressing Mirror
—Artistic long handled mirrors with frames & handles in polychrome finishes, at **$1.50**

$1.50 Smokers' Stand
—Mahogany finish wood smoker stands, with wide base and a glass ash tray. $1.50 values at .. **$1**

Polychrome Bookends
—Artistic, heavy, wooden book-ends in the gold Polychrome finish. Special, pair **$1.95**

Bread Board & Knife
—Round and oblong bread and cake boards, knives to match; nicely decorated **$1.49**

Silver Candlesticks
—Massive Dutch silver candlesticks, in quaint Holland designs, special each **$1.25**

Mahogany Candlesticks
—8-inch wood candlesticks in mahogany finish, felted bottoms, very special, a pair **$1**

A Sale of Dainty
Boudoir Lamps
—High grade metal base boudoir lamps with dainty decorated glass shades.. **$3.95**

Dainty Boudoir Caps 50c
—Silk and lace caps in all colors, 50c
Others in Gift Boxes, $1-$1.39

Straps & Ties
$3.95
—These are the types women and girls are choosing for holiday wear and giving.
—A black suede gore pump with military or Spanish heel, $3.95
—A black satin front strap.
—A fine patent front strap.
—A black kid front strap.
—A black calf plain toe oxford.
—A brown calf plain toe oxford.
—A dull calf-skin Dixie Tie.
—A tan calf-skin Dixie Tie.
—A patent leather Dixie Tie.
—These come in military and flat heel styles; all priced the same way; $3.95 a pair.

Silk Umbrellas $4.95
—Women's imported Gloria silk umbrellas; black and colors. Stubby handles.

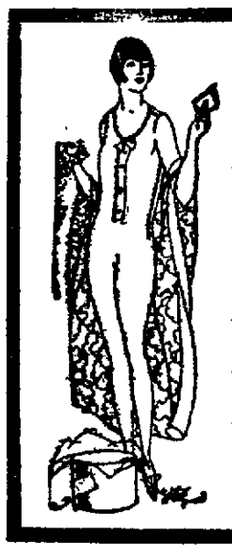
Women's & Children's
Sweaters
—INFAN'S WOOL SWEATERS — shown in white and colors. Good and warm. All sizes, $2.95 and **$1.50**
—BOYS' SLIP OVER SWEATERS —in colors, with circular body stripes, $4.95, 3.95 and **$2.95**
—BOYS' COAT SWEATERS — heavy all-wool, made well and warm, in colors, $5.95 and **$3.95**
—GIRLS' COAT SWEATERS—all-wool; shown in four smart styles. $4.95, $3.95 and .. **$3**
—WOMEN'S SWEATERS—of fine quality brushed wool. All sizes. Pretty colors. $8.50, $7.50, $6.95 and **$5**
—WOMEN'S COAT SWEATERS—heavy and warm. Shown in colors. They're regular $7.50 values **$5**

10 Styles of Fine Gift Purses
On Sale Saturday
—Genuine leather purses, silk lined, fitted with mirrors and coin purses. Some have swinging coin purses. In tan, greys, black and browns. Ten styles. Choice **5.95**

—Pretty grain leather purses in top and back strap styles. Shown in all colors and 20 styles. Special at each ... **2.95**
—Top and back strap purses in several kinds of leathers and colors. Lined, coin purses and mirrors. Specially priced at **3.95**

Men's and Women's
Bathrobes
$4.95
$5.95 and $6.95
—Genuine Beacon bathrobes in many styles and colors for men and women. Cut full; large pockets; cords; tassels. In all sizes. Wonderful gifts. See them.
Others $3.95-$8.50

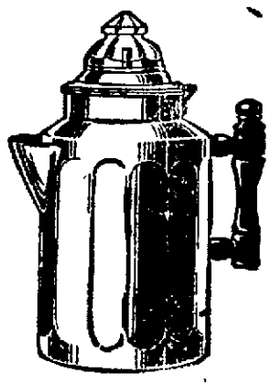
Saturday Sale Warm
Underwear



—WOMEN'S RIBBED, FLEECED UNION suits in sleeveless and long sleeve styles. Fine garments. All sizes. At a suit **$1**
—WOMEN'S FINE LISLE UNION SUITS, knee length and sleeveless. Regular and extra sizes. At $1.50 and at **$1.39**
—WOMEN'S FINE SILK AND WOOL UNION Suits, in sleeveless and knee length .. **$2**
styles. Extra fine garments. Suit $2.25 and
—CHILDREN'S EXTRA BUTTON UNION suits, in warm fleeced styles. In sizes 2 to 16. Well made suits. Special at each **$1**
—BOYS' AND GIRLS' RIBBED AND Fleeced union suits in sizes 2 to 16. Well made and very warm. Going at a suit **$1**
—MEN'S FINE SILK AND WOOL UNION suits of a high excellence. Men appreciate them for gifts. All sizes. A suit **$4.95**
—MEN'S $1.75 UNION SUITS; high grade and warmly fleeced; long sleeves and ankle length. Sizes 36 to 46. Suit **$1.25**

Exceptional Gift Values In
Exquisite Neckwear
Collars and Cuffs, 50c
—Lace and linen collar and cuff sets in white and ecru. Many new designs, choice **50c**
Collars and Cuffs, 69c
—Embroidered crepe de chin collar and cuff sets in white, tan. Neatly boxed **69c**
Collars and Cuffs at $1
—Lace, linen, silk and leather collar and cuff sets in white, ecru and colors. Many designs. Special at **$1**

The Gift To Delight Women Is This
Lovely Silk Underwear
—SILK GOWNS—of very fine quality crepe de chine and radiums, $6.95 and **$9.95**
—SILK BLOOMERS—in light colors of crepe de chine and radium. $3.95 and **$4.95**
—SILK STEP-INS—in light colors of fine radium silks. At $2.95 and **$3.95**
—SILK CHEMISE— pastel shades of crepe de chine and radium. $3.95 and.... **$6.95**
—SILK PETTIBOCKERS—of fine Jersey. On all colors. $3.95, $4.95 and **$5.95**
—TRICOLETTE PETTICOATS — shown in all the best shades: At $2.95 and.. **$3.95**
—LINGETTE PAJAMAS— in the new high shades. All sizes. Special, suit **$3.95**
—WOMEN'S CREPE PAJAMAS— in most all colors. All sizes. Special, $1.95 to **$2.95**



Regular $1 Panel
Percolators
—Heavy gauge 9-cup aluminum percolators, with sunrayed finish. At each **89c**

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GRANT FORSYTH HEADS WOODMEN

Shelbyville Camp Names Officers and Trustees.

Shelbyville, Dec. 12—The Modern Woodmen of America held their annual meeting in their lodge room over Hill's hardware store Wednesday night and selected the following officers for the ensuing year.

Venerable Consul, Grant Forsyth, worthy adviser, L. H. Hill; banker, Carl Price; clerk, H. D. Sparks, escort, Raymond Waggoner; watchman, Wilmer Hagen; sentry, John Bridges; chorister, W. D. Huffer, camp physician, Dr. J. C. Westervelt, Dr. W. J. Eddy, Dr. Theodore Thompson. The following trustees were selected: For one year, W. D. Huffer; two years, F. M. Richardson; three years, Orbie Gowdy.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

It was decided to hold an anniversary meeting Jan. 30. The Shelbyville Order is thirty-seven years old, while the Modern Woodmen organization at large is forty-two years old. John Harris, editor of the Modern Woodmen paper, will perhaps be present at this meeting. The head office has prepared moving pictures, and the Ladies' Aid society will serve a banquet. The program will be held at the Christian church. A committee was named to work out the complete program.

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The Young Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church, held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. Orie Heinz on North Third street.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted by Mrs. Rex McCormick and Mrs. R. L. Bragg

SPELLING MATCH DEC. 20.

On Saturday, Dec. 20, the annual Shelby county spelling match will be held in Shelbyville under the direction of County Superintendent of Schools O. O. Barker and his assistant W. A. Storm.

Local matches have been held in several townships of the county and the remainder will be held Saturday Dec. 13. The winners will represent their respective townships in the county match the following week and the winner of the county match will represent Shelby county at the state contest in Springfield the last week in December.

Last year William Jones of Cowden won the state spelling contest.

HEAVY INHERITANCE TAX.

The heirs of the late H. A. Aldrich of Neoga have paid to the state of Illinois an inheritance taxes the sum of $11,111.31. The estate amounted to $107,000 and the inheritance tax is by far the largest ever paid in Cumberland county.

The amounts paid by the legatees are as follows: S. B. Spencer, Rochester, N. Y. $90; E. J. Spencer, Detroit, $90, Mrs. Mary L. Webster, Detroit, $90; Daniel C. Spencer, Neoga, $90; George H. Clay, Neoga, $40; H. H. Comstock, Neoga, $358.34; Miss Erma Cowper, Neoga, $10.405.

The Woman's Club of this city reports that the sum of $31.85 was realized from the sale of articles made by disabled veterans of the World War at the Great Lakes naval hospital. The articles left were returned to the hospital

The United States Department of Agriculture has appointed William N. Clark to gather the general statistics in Rose, Lakewood and Dry Point townships.

NEW LAMP BURNS 94% AIR

Beats Electric or Gas

A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple, clean safe. Burns 94% air and 6% common kerosene (coal oil.)

The inventor, J. L. Johnson, 609 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill., is offering to send a lamp on 10 days' FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make $250 to $500 per month.

TUSCOLA PYTHIANS ELECT OFFICERS

Irwin Lester Is Made Chancellor.

Tuscola, Dec. 12.—The Tuscola Pythians held an oyster supper and their annual election of officers at their meeting Wednesday evening. The newly-elected officers are: Irwin Lester, chancellor; Chris A. Wilson, vice chancellor; William Clapper, prelate; Carl Goff, master at arms; Charles B. Taylor, trustee; R. W. Guy, master of workk; George L. Larimer, keeper of records and seals, E. M. Owen, master of finance; A. C. Suss, master of exchequer; Harold Steven, outer guard; Horace C. Hackett, inner guard.

187 ACRES SOLD.

There was a master in chancery sale of 187 acres of land at the Douglas county court house Thursday afternoon. The land sold was what is know as the John Lawyer estate and is located a short distance east of Arcola It was sold in two tracts. One, consisting of eighty-seven acres and known as the home place, was bought in by Mrs. Lawyer, the widow, at $207.50 per acre; this is said to be good land that is well improved and is in a high state of cultivation.

The other tract of eighty-two acres was bought by William Harrington at $189 per acre. This is also good land but the buildings are not so good as on the other piece of the land. It was understood that there were other persons who would have been willing to pay more for the land bid in by Mrs. Lawyer than it was sold for, but they did not wish to bid it up on Mrs. Lawyer after finding that she was a bidder. The selling was done by John C. Jones of Arcola

ATTRACTIVE WINDOWS.

The Tuscola merchants are displaying an unusually attractive lot of merchandise in their windows at present, and a good many remarks have been heard concerning the nice appearance of the windows for a small town The display for the most part does not seem to be of the holiday stuff entirely, but is largely composed of staple and seasonable goods. The pre-holiday trade appears to be very good in the stores here.

Miss Blanche Caraway of Evanston arrived in Tuscola Wednesday evening and on Thursday morning went to Murdock to look after her farming interests. She stated that she did not expect to remain here long at this time.

SHIPPING LIVESTOCK.

Ralph Sturgeon and E. D. Hall, for the Tuscola Shipping association, each loaded a car of livestock here for the Indianapolis market Thursday evening. Henry Rahn also loaded two cars of stock at Ficklin for the same market at the same time.

Frank Ferdyce of Russellville, Ind. was a Thursday business visitor in Tuscola.

William Heeb, former postmaster at Newman, was here Thursday.

Several Tuscola people, including all of the men on the force of the Douglas Telephone company, accompanied the body of E. C. Rodman to Deland for burial Thursday.

TO SELL OUT.

Ray V. Jared, who for several years past has been farming the Merlea land, located just west of Tuscola, has advertised a farm sale for Tuesday, Dec. 16. Mr. Jared has purchased a small farm in southern Illinois where he expects to engage in the poultry and egg business on an extensive scale. He put in considerable time this fall at his new location building chicken houses and getting ready for his new venture. Mrs. Jared for some time has been a chicken fancier and her pens of blooded chickens have brought home a good many ribbons.

PEORIA TO VOTE ON NEW COURTHOUSE

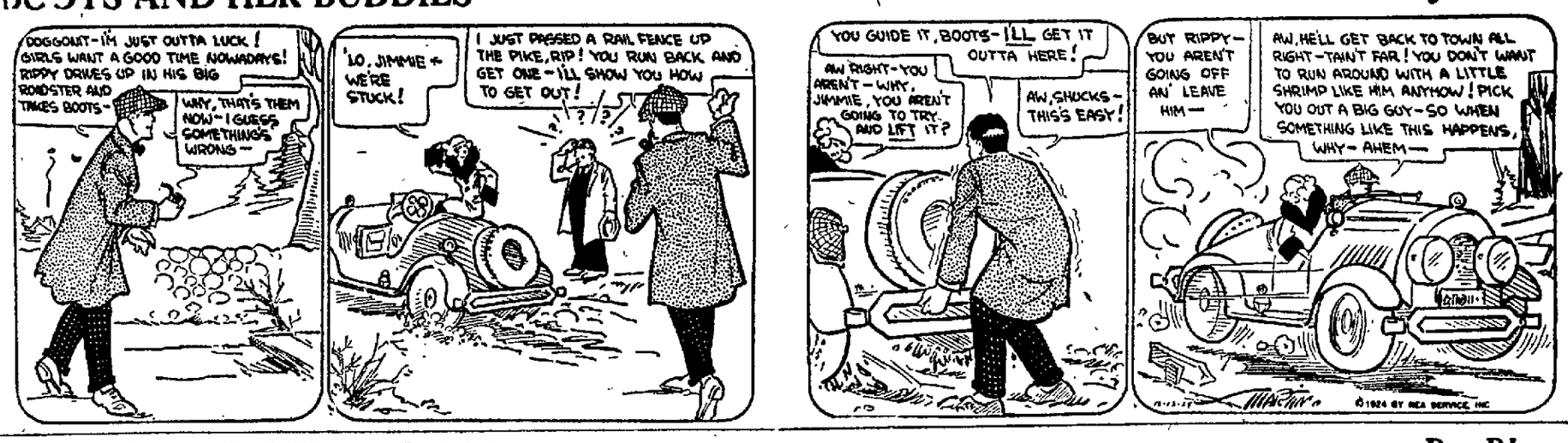
Peoria, Ill., Dec. 12—Peoria, city and county, will decide if they want a new courthouse on April 7 of next year. A resolution to submit the proposed $1,250,000 courthouse bond issue to the public was adopted at the Wednesday morning meeting of the board of supervisors.

FOUR KILLED IN AUTO BY TRACTION

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 12.—Four persons were killed Thursday when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Washington, Baltimore, and Annapolis Electric Railway train at Arnold.

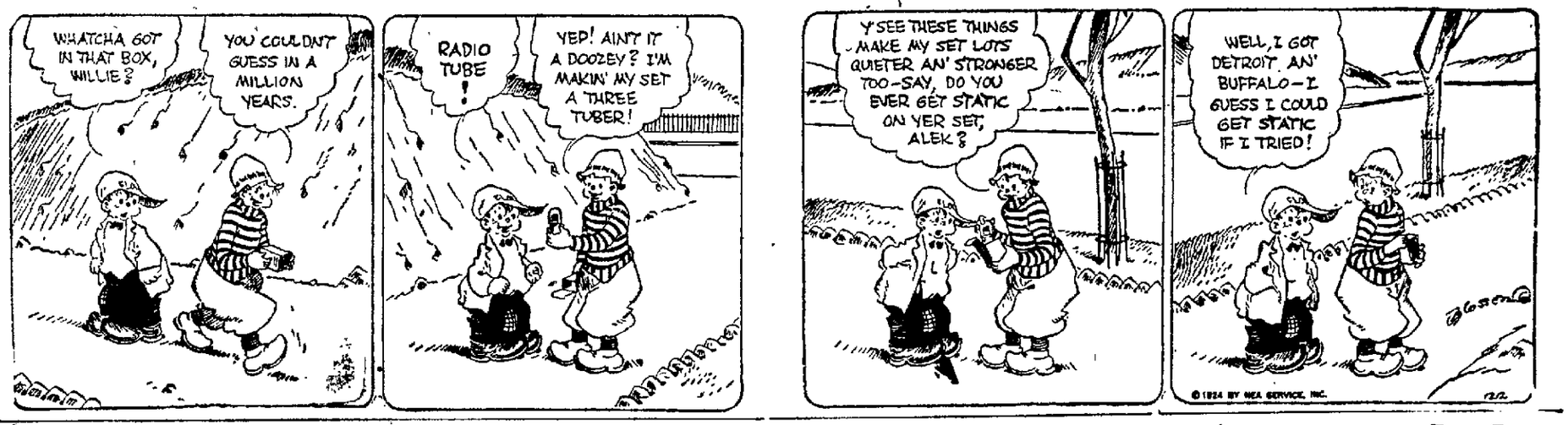
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

ALL'S FAIR IN LOVE. *By Martin*



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

ALEK IS AN AMATEUR ON RADIO. *By Blosser*



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A CHANCE IN A LIFETIME. *By Swan*

Adventures of the Twins

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

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A Musical Riddle.

"Are there any more riddles in the Riddle Lady's book?" asked Mother Goose.

"Yes," said Nancy hopping up in her chair again. "Come on, everybody! Come close and I'll read the ones that are left. They are very easy. You'll guess this one first thing:

"Now I sing an opera song,
Now I play a dance quite merry,
Now I yodle loud and long,
Now I chirp like a canary.

"I can play a ukelele,
Sing songs of a southern clime,
If you exercise daily,
I can keep you right on time.

"Will you have an Irish jig?
I can play one on a fiddle,
If you're smart and not too big,
I can also ask a riddle.

"Fairy tales I know by dozens,
Funny stories, poems new,
Ask your friends all in—and cousins,
And the children, ask them, too!

"I can play band tunes quite martial,
Songs of war, of drums loud beating,
If to noisy things you're partial,
Cannon, bells, and troops retreating.

"Who am I, who has such talent,
Who can sing and play and talk,
I can do whate'er you ask me,
I can do 'most anything but walk.

"Well," said Nancy, "what is it?"

"I can't guess!" said Bo Peep.

"Neither can I!" said little Miss Muffet.

But the truth was that nobody could guess.

"There must be something the matter," declared Mr. Bun, the Miller Man. "I happen to know that Mother Goose Landers are 'specially smart, and when they can't guess, there is something wrong."

Suddenly Nancy had an idea. "I know! I know!" she cried loudly. "Mother Goose people are old-fashioned, and this is not an old-fashioned thing. This is something not so very old, and Mother Goose people are very, very old!"

"Well, I like that!" declared Mary, Mary.

"So do I!" said everybody.

"But it's true," said Nancy. "Mother Goose people are sort of behind the times."

"The very idea!" said Margery Daw.

"The very idea!" said Bo Peep.

"The very idea!" declared Mary, Mary.

But at last when nobody could guess, they just had to give up. They just had to. Nobody knew what it was.

"It's a phonograph!" said Nancy.

"What's that?" they all wanted to know.

So the Twins told them all about it, how it could do anything almost.

"It's almost like a radio," said Nick.

"A radio!" exclaimed the Wise Man. "What's that?"

"Oh, dear!" exclaimed the Twins. "How very old-fashioned you Mother Goose people are!"

(To Be Continued.)

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—in—
"The Bad Man"
—by—
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KINOGRAMS
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"CORRIGAN"

by EDMUND SNELL

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VII—PROTECTING PAMELA

FELLOWES — long, lean and hatchet-faced—looked up at his employer.

"Well?" he demanded presently. "What d'you think of it?"

Corrigan set his feet wide apart on the springy turf and surveyed a squat, square erection of such startling newness that its yellow timbers glistened in the light of the noonday sun.

"There's only one thing wrong with it that I can see."

"Well?" snapped back the assistant, fully prepared to defend the slightest adverse criticism of a masterpiece of which he was not unjustly proud.

Corrigan laughed.

"It's the best bungalow we've got—and a deuced sight too comfortable for a mere bachelor."

Fellowes winced. He could never get over the idea that the genial colossus he served was trying to get in a dig at him over the fair female crook he was once almost beguiled into marrying.

"That's not my fault. What chance is there, I'd like to know, of knocking across a decent girl in this forsaken wilderness?"

"Precious little," admitted the other cheerfully. "But I can't help thinking you had something of the sort in mind when you designed this palatial residence." He strolled leisurely to the foot of the steps leading up to a broad veranda that completely encircled the house. "It'd make a vast difference, Fellowes."

The assistant nodded.

"I know. I'm essentially a gregarious beast. I wasn't cut out for a single existence. When I look round at other fellows who don't even deserve the luck they've had in the matrimonial market—it makes me positively envious. Take young Boyce, for example. When you ran into him, he was coming east on spec.; he'd nothing in particular with which to support a wife and not the remotest prospect of qualifying for a job that'd enable him to do so. And yet, before you took him under your paternal wing, he'd persuaded one of the nicest women I've ever met to throw in her lot with him. It beats me—"

They gained the veranda together and settled themselves in newly arrived Sandakan chairs. Fellowes pushed across the cigarets.

"Boyce was lucky," said Corrigan, helping himself, "and the fact that he married Mrs. Boyce went a long way with me when I decided to offer him a billet. There are all kinds of girls in this wicked old world, but, as far as our sort of existence is concerned, you can safely divide 'em into two categories — the women who fidget—and those who don't. Fidgety wives negative any good work their husbands may do, they're never happy anywhere and always wishing they were somewhere else; that kind of restlessness is infernally catching and the man who sees more of 'em than anybody else eventually succumbs to the infection. Now Diana's just the reverse. From the first she made up her mind to like the east and she didn't accept Boyce with her eyes shut. She knows his weaknesses better than he thinks and tackles them in a quiet, unobtrusive fashion that is a credit to her. An observant man can detect traces of it every day. He's dropped that confounded drawl of his already and that knife-edge crease to his slacks is pretty well a thing of the past. Now if you could find a second Diana—"

Fellowes looked up sharply.

"Thought you didn't approve of married assistants?"

"I don't: in the broader meaning of the term, I'm all against 'em; but there are exceptions —and Diana Boyce is one of them."

The first assistant clasped his hands at the back of his neck and yawned.

"It's no good, old son," he said, "I'm afraid I'm fated to appreciate the inner comforts of this bungalow alone! Boarded ceilings, Corrigan! None of your re-infested sago thatches either! I caught Arundill observing it enviously from the other side of the wire. Queer beast, Arundill! I gave him a polite 'good morning'—and he turned his back abruptly and strode away. I don't fancy he cottons altogether to the idea of having neighbors. Millett says he wanted this strip of land himself, but started negotiations too late."

Corrigan flicked his ash over the rail and stared upward.

"Watch Arundill!" he murmured presently.

"Oh! Why!"

"Bit of a swine, I fancy. I've never had much to do with him myself, but he's always struck me as being, well, not quite white. You'll understand me well enough to know I wouldn't say a thing like that of a fellow countryman of mine, if I didn't think it was justified. He's not been in Borneo very long—a year at the outside, but quite long enough to earn for himself a tolerably unpleasant reputation. He got into hot water over illtreating some coolies. They say he's about as unscrupulous as they make 'em, into the bargain, and, by heaven, he looks it!"

"We're not likely to have much to do with him."

"That's true enough, but a man of his caliber's quite up to jumping our boundary or sticking difficulties in our way, especially if Millett's information's anywhere near correct. It's best to decide on a firm line of action from the start; Don't give Mr. Arundill an inch."

"I won't," rejoined the other grimly.

Since Corrigan's return from Europe he had reorganized and extended the Orang-Puteh estate until it scarcely resembled its former self. Another two thousand-odd acres had been taken in and Fellowes installed in this added territory to knock it into shape. Millett and Fortescue — those two inseparable juniors— were attached to him for duty, while John Everard Boyce superintended—under Corrigan himself — the work on the older and more wieldly ground. A sort of central clubhouse was in course of erection, where the general difficulties of estate work might be amicably discussed over a game of billiards or tennis; for Corrigan was versed in the art of selecting good men —and keeping them. And in the carrying out of his new ambitions, the great man was sparing no expense, for his interests were wide and his farsightedness proverbial. Already, in his mind's eye, he saw a vast, clean weeded area of waving rubber trees, intersected with good roads and a miniature network of shining metals to convey the produce of his trees to the railroad; he saw white houses in trim gardens, huge storing sheds, improved machinery; and more, still more clean limbed, conscientious assistants, as proud as his present men were, that they worked for Corrigan. Corrigan loved the orient—as he knew it, but few had the good fortune to see it through Corrigan's eyes.

Corrigan's dream country was a vast, romantic orient converted from the unhealthy zone it actually is to what is popularly believe to be — by a careful preservation of the spices and an utter elimination of the smells! To drain the swamp hot-beds of malaria and drive all that is venomous far beyond striking distance of the white community. Utopian, perhaps! but Corrigan within a short while had achieved much, so much in fact that his successes lent him encouragement to carry on.

A broadminded, broadfisted social reformer this Corrigan! with a keen sense of man's duty toward his neighbor and as undying enmity toward those whose sole aim in life appeared to be to oppress others. Corrigan, his great shovel-backed topee cocked to one side, coming over the brow of the hill on his stout Bajau pony, was a sight for the gods. And Fellowes — with certain limitations— was a second edition of his chief.

Both men smoked for some time in silence, gazing thoughtfully beyond the open space that had been cleared for Fellowes' house to where the native contractor's men —swarming like flies — wrought havoc upon a time-honored forest of stunted trees. Every now and again a leafy mass would lurch awkwardly to crash presently to the ground amid an ominous tearing and a babel of hoarse cries. To the first assistant there was always some deeper meaning underlying all this, something more than the fact that people eight thousand miles away who held rubber shares were clamoring for inflated dividends. This was another sign of the times, a further step toward the establishment of a new order of things: These aged, unprofitable jungle monarchs — like elderly, bigoted minister of a past decade, must give way to the eternal advance of the younger generation. Henceforth there would be no more shackling, clogging weeds, no more overcrowding, nothing but clear cut regularly planters yielders of the precious latex, and the fact that a few thousand of the legitimate denizens of the forest would be forced to seek new homes didn't seem to matter very much. And that was precisely where he saw eye to eye with Corrigan.

"KEEP A WATCHFUL EYE ON OUR NEIGHBOR."

"It'll be mighty quiet over here at night," said the planter suddenly. "Got anything to read?"

Fellowes nodded.

"I shall do most of my office work in the evening—and there's always the gramophone."

Corrigan rose.

"Then there's nothing you want particularly, I take it?"

"Nothing I can think of at the moment. I'll send a chit across if there is. Aren't you stopping to lunch?"

The other shook his head.

"I've an appointment with Long-Yin about canteen stores at two. Thanks all the same. Cheerio!"

He went off down the steps to where his mount was tethered.

"Don't forget," he shouted back as he swung into the saddle: "hurry the work along so that we can pick our weather for burning — and keep a watchful eye on our neighbor."

(To Be Continued)

CLINTON BIRTHS AND DEATHS FOR MONTH

Clinton, Dec. 12.—The monthly report of City Clerk Harry L. Bean, shows sixteen births and ten deaths in November as follows: Richard, son of Henry Lord; daughter of Ralph Strange; daughter of P. E. Jones; Ralph, son of Levi Kelley; Wayne Cox, son of E. C. Hayes; Betty Jane, daughter of W. R. Queen; William Bryan, son of William Smith; Wilma Lee, daughter of Kirley Yeakie; Shirley Joan, daughter of Dean Wilson; George Robert, son of W. L. Phelps; son of Edward Pollock; Carl, son of Raymond Evans; Eldon, son of Roy Reeves; daughter of R. E. Carver; son of Lee Tarvin.

Deaths — Irma J. Brooks, Mary Catherine Brooks, William Joseph Brooks, William C. Perkins, Owen Crystal, Infant Dunn, Mable Fields, Raymond Lee Tarvin, James R. Heskett, Infant Carver.

NEW OFFICERS.

Daughters of Veterans in their meeting at the Library club rooms Tuesday evening elected the following officers for 1925:

President—Mrs. Lula Fort.

Senior Vice President—Mrs. Susan Spainhour.

Junior Vice President—Mrs. S. P. Vinson.

Chaplain—Miss Faye Glazebrook.

Treasurer—Miss Helen Williams.

Patriotic Instructor — Miss Myra Hickman.

Council Members — Miss Elizabeth Duncan, Mrs. Dora Savely, Mrs. Edward Gideon.

MT. ZION.

Mrs. N. J. Black was the guest of Mrs. Ed Pierce Thursday.

Mrs. Ira Six is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Farrel of Chicago. Mrs. Six will be gone until after Jan. 1.

Donald Britton of Springfield is visiting relatives here this week.

Guy Smith of Chicago has returned to his home after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs Roy Scott and sons of Springfield visited relatives here over Sunday.

W. R. Black attended the stock show in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Veech of Long Creek visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Meyers, Wednesday evening.

The Home Bureau was entertained in the home of Mrs. George Traughber Tuesday afternoon. Eighteen members were present. A very delightful time was enjoyed by all. Christmas presents was exchanged.

Quinn Sanner is on the sick list.

Mrs. Faye Draper visited in Dalton City last Saturday.

Prof. Deney Fristo, who has been ill is able to be back in school.

Most of the farmers are through shucking corn.

Miss Mamie Hatch has gone to Decatur to make her home.

Miss Myria Smith of Decatur is visiting Mrs. O. M. Scott.

RADFORD.

Mrs. Cecil Workman is ill with inflammatory rheumatism in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bassler.

Mrs. Albert Osborn is suffering with a severe case of blood poisoning in her hand.

The revival services at Fame began Monday night with Rev. Mr. Golderman in charge. The interest and attendance have been increasing from night to night. Rev. Mr. Oglesby is leading the music. We are looking forward to a successful meeting.

Mrs. William Eversole and family and her mother, Mrs. Wheatley, took Sunday dinner at Harold Eversole's.

The Woman's Missionary society gave its program Friday evening to a fair sized audience. The offering amounted to over $21.

Most of our farmers will get their corn out this week.

WHITE HEATH.

The Mehodist Episcopal Ladies' aid will serve a chicken pie dinner in the church Friday, Dec. 12, also a cafeteria supper with chicken and oysters and their annual bazaar at the same time.

W. P. Heath and family spent Sunday at J. F. Heath's in Champaign.

The Epworth League Bible Study class meets with Mr. and Mrs. George Haines on Tuesday evening. Laura Bell is the leader.

Mrs. Fred Karr of Seymour spent Tuesday here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blacker.

Harley Fosnaugh went to Hammond, Ind., Monday.

The W. F. M. S. of the U. B. church met at the home of Mrs. Henry Blacker Tuesday afternoon.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blacker Saturday, Dec. 6.

The teachers of the U. B. Sunday school have been appointed as committee to plan the Christmas program to be given Christmas evening.

Lucile Adams was a Champaign visitor Monday.

The Epworth League gave a pageant at the church Sunday night, which was not very well attended on account of the rain.

The Standard Bearers will meet Saturday afternoon with Lois Madden.

Howard Wilson's have a new radio.

Noble Heath, Lillian Haines and Frances Scott were in Champaign Monday.

The program committee for the Christmas eve entertainment at the Methodist Episcopal church has begun work. It's members are Mrs. Payne Heath, Mrs. Earle DeLand and Mrs. H. R. Sparks.

Mrs. Jewel Dilsaver is spending the week at the home of her parents, in Champaign.

Ernie Furnish was a business visitor in Monticello Saturday.

Mrs. Rose McIntosh and children visited over Sunday with relatives in Champaign.

Mrs. Alva McDaniel of Seymour visited relatives here Tuesday.

A number of young people were entertained at the U. B. parsonage Monday night.

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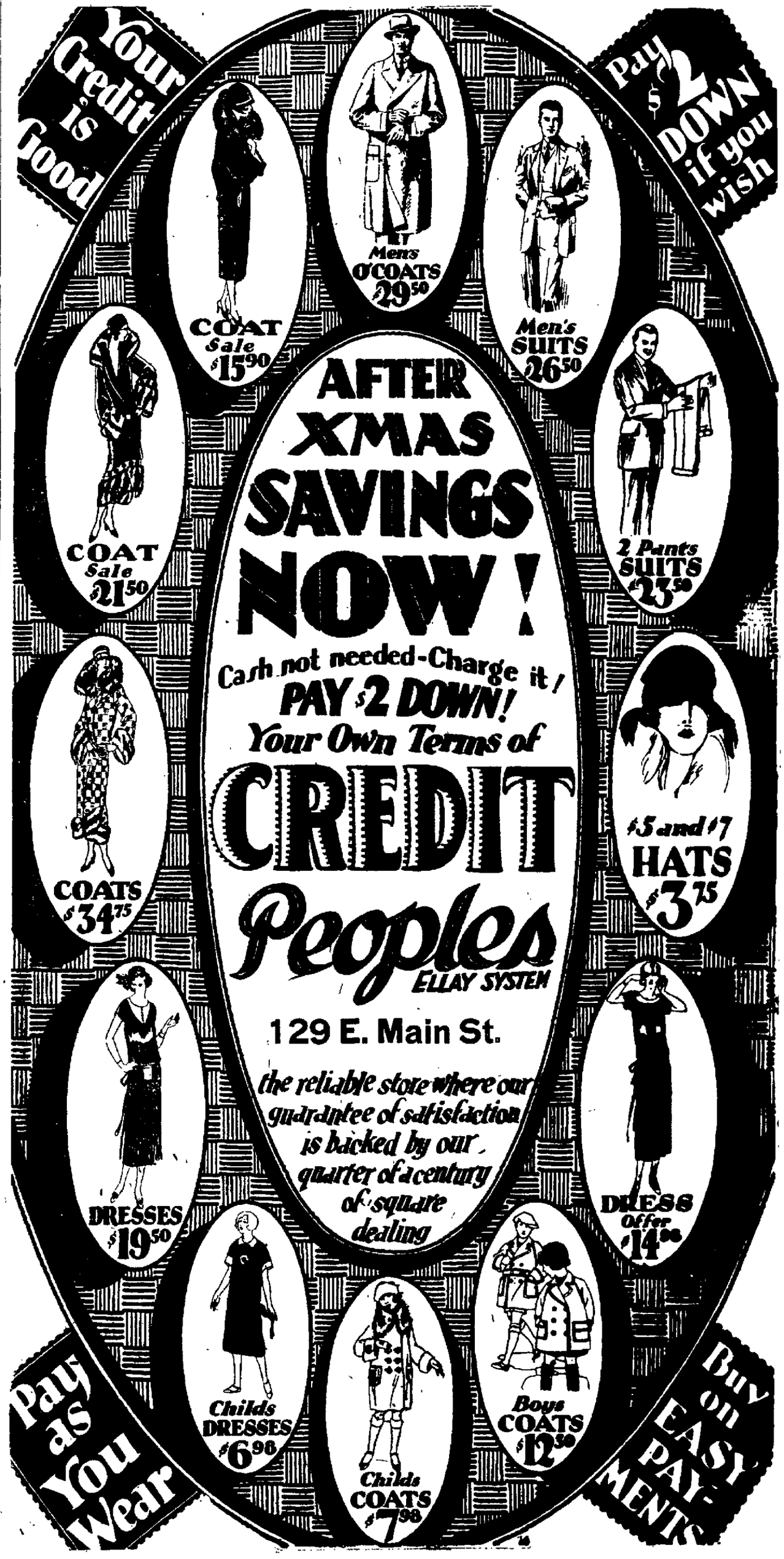

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In The Schools

E. A. GASTMAN.

The fathers and mothers of the E. A. Gastman school will have a joint meeting at 7:30 Friday evening in the school. Supt. J. J. Richeson will speak and members of the school board will be special guests. The E. A. Gastman school orchestra will make its first appearance for the mothers and fathers. The boys' glee club will sing and Miss Mayme Irons music supervisor, also will sing. A large attendance is desired

JACKSON.

Christmas plans have been completed in the Jackson school. This building does not have an auditorium so other arrangements had to be made. Beginning with the first grade, the grades will progress through the school singing carols in each room and then assemble in their own rooms and will sing together "Silent Night." A tree will be erected in the play room and the children will march around it at which time the Mothers' club will give each child a treat. This program will be at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 23.

LINCOLN.

The Lincoln school will have a joint meeting for the mothers and fathers at 7:30 Friday night. The play "Hope Desire Bradcock's Doll," will be presented by pupils of Miss Boyd's room and her youngsters also will give a minuet, those taking part being dressed in the costume of Martha Washington days. Kenneth Clapp will read. Following this part of the program, Prof. F. L. Hydinger of Millikin conservatory will give a musical program. Miss Ruth Ackerman will tell stories to the younger children in the gymnasium while the program is in progress. It is hoped there will be a large turnout for this meeting

Plans have been made for the Christmas time in this school. The program will be at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 23. There will be a large Christmas tree in the auditorium where a short program will be given. There then will be a processional in which each child in the school will take part. They will go to their own rooms and receive a treat from the mothers and fathers. The tree will be furnished by the Fathers' club and after the afternoon's program it will be sent to the Girls' Welfare home

OAKLAND.

The Oakland school Mothers' Club is having a rummage sale the remainder of the week in 710 East Eldorado.

Miss Dove and Miss Reichert are giving demonstration lessons for Millikin classes at 3:30 Thursday afternoon in the school

PUGH.

Miss Mabel Muthersbaugh, principal of Pugh school, was absent Thursday because of illness.

ROACH.

The Roach school Fathers' club will meet at 7:30 Tuesday evening in the school auditorium.

This school will have a Christmas party in each room this year on the Tuesday preceding Christmas.

D. H. S. Notes.

Marian Pease and Wayne Parrish of the Decatur high school have been elected to the Public Speaking Board of Control. Several other contestants were in the field. Although there were only five on the ballot, many others were written in. Lyle Freemon was the most popular of the names written on the ballot—he had five votes leading a long list of other favorites. Marian Pease received 551 votes and Wayne Parrish got 473.

The drive for Decanols started Thursday. A representative was sent to each room. The drive will last until Dec. 23.

Season tickets for the basketball season are being sold in the corridors. Tickets are being sold cheaper in the corridors than at the gate.

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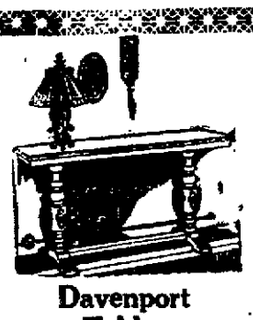

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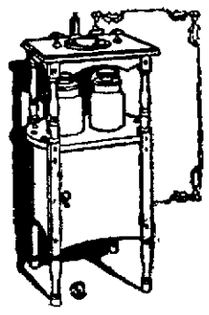

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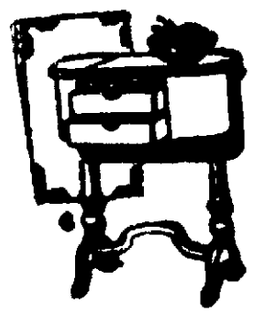

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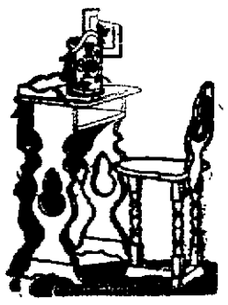

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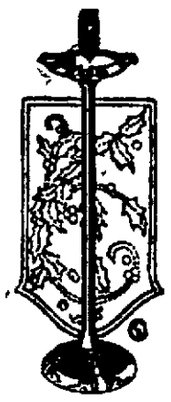

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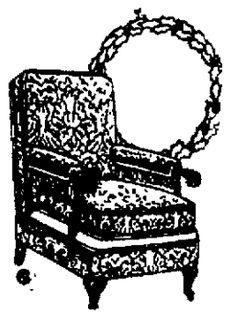

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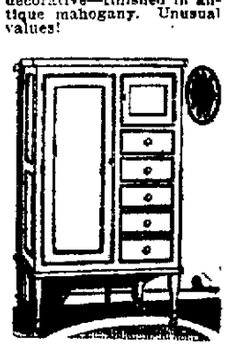

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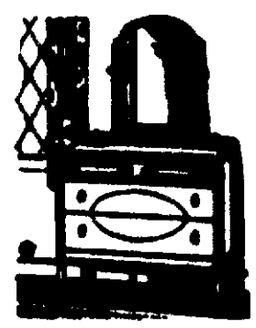

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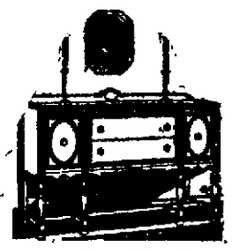

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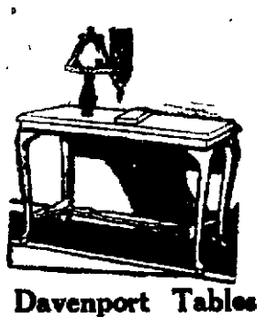

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CHURCH SOCIETIES ARE BUSY AT WORK

Moweaqua Missionary Women Hold Sessions.

Moweaqua D . 12—The Presbyterian Missionary society was entertained in the home of Mrs. Effie Winchel, who was assisted by Mrs. George Dewalt.

The president, Mrs. T. Y. Cheatham, had charge of the meeting. The Home work was conducted by Mrs. Jonathan Williams and Mrs. Nicholas Walbach and the Foreign by Mrs. Kate Stultz, Mrs Will Morris and Mrs J H Kirker.

The Baptist Mission Circle met with Mrs. Mame Humphrey, assisting hostess Mrs Walter Humphrey.

Mrs. John Myers had charge of the lesson on the text book "Of One Blood." She was assisted by Mrs. Glenn Tolly, Mrs. Ed Carsell, Mrs. Walter Humphrey, Mrs. Kroenlein and Mrs. C. E. Pressel.

The Methodist W. H. M. S. met Wednesday with Mrs. John Ayers, assisting hostess Mrs. John Clark. Mrs. J. W. Dobson president, Mrs. Sarah Young led devotions. Mrs. Joe Gregory led. Mrs. Edna Sellars gave a most interesting account of a visit to Cunningham Home, near Urbana. Miss Aileen Day had charge of the enigmas. One hundred dollars has been paid on the apportionment.

The box supper Wednesday evening at Pleasant Flower school was a success. Pies averaged a dollar and boxes sold from seventy-five cents to $8.50. Miss Belden, the teacher, reports $46 cleared for the benefit of the school.

Mr and Mrs. Joseph Hibbard and family of Mt. Zion were guests of Mr. and Mrs Walter Hibbard Sunday.

Walter Hibbard is in the Barnes hospital in St. Louis for treatment.

There will be an oyster supper at Charter Oak school Friday evening, Dec. 12. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Sarah Birley is spending a few days in Decatur.

Miss Rose Kroenlein is sick and Miss Lorine Ribelin is teaching for her.

Dwight Adamson of Boody was here Wednesday.

James Crossin and son, Henry Hemer and Mrs. Mary Beaumont attended the funeral of Mrs. Minnie Burrison of Duquoin. She was formerly Miss Minnie Lindewood of Sanner Chapel vicinity.

The Juniors of Locust Grove church will pack a box for Otterbein Home next Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Ed Bridgman attended the funeral of Mr. Dewas in Shelbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seivlking and family of Clinton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs R. W. Patterson.

Dr. C J. Lensgraf attended the district meeting of Chiropractors held in the Elks club rooms in Springfield.

Mrs. Sadie Young who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. James Simpson and other relatives left for her home in Spokane, Wash. Her cousin, Charles Taylor accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs Charles Gilmore and family of Decatur spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs Ed Winters.

Mrs Effie Drew Brown and children have moved into the Adamson house on the east side, recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Adamson.

CISCO CLUB WOMEN DEBATE MORALS

Cisco, Dec. 12—The Woman's club met in its latest session with Mrs. Katie Young. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. Faith Mintum and Mrs. Wright Weddle. The leader was Mrs. Myrtle Waddle.

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Roll Call—Christmas thoughts.

"The Story of the Other Wise Man" (Van Dyke) — Mrs. Gladys Doane.

Debate: "That the Morals of the World are Improving"—Affirmative, Mrs. Stella Ennis, Mrs. Nellie Rannebarger; negative, Mrs. Alma Rainey, Mrs. Queenie Allman.

Music.

P. T. MEETING.

The Parent-Teachers' association held its regular meeting Wednesday night at the school. Charles McIntosh of Monticello was the principal speaker.

Music was furnished by the men's quartet.

J. Briggs has returned from an extended visit in North Dakota and Minnesota.

Ira McCartney spent Sunday at Champaign.

Mrs. F. M Coffin and Mrs. James Ensign visited in Decatur this week.

A. M. Turney is visiting relatives in Ohio.

Henry Nelwood and family of New Holland spent the week end at the home of E. F Coffman.

Charles Parr and wife moved to Monticello where they will live this winter.

Miss Maude Miller, who has been visiting at the home of A. E Miller and W. E. Miller, has returned to Chicago.

Dave Wiseman has purchased the W H Stillabower meat market.

The W. F. M. society met at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage Saturday afternoon. Miss Morgan, a missionary from India, was the speaker.

HINDSBORO CLUB WOMEN IN SESSION

Hindsboro, Dec. 12.—The Hindsboro Woman's club held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the High school auditorium with Mrs. Tyna Breeden, chairman of the following program: Subject, "Music."

Song by club, "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

Roll Call, "Your Favorite Hymn and Why?"

Talk on Hymns—Rev. Lew Baldwin, pastor of Methodist Episcopal church.

Song by Club, "Lead Kindly Light."

Short talk on Songs—Mrs. Duffle Hymn "Abide With Me"—Mrs. Myra Shoemaker.

Short Talk on Music—Mrs. Watson

Song by Club, "Rock of Ages"

Song, "The Rugged Cross"—Club quartet.

Several visitors were present.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Ida Carnahan, Gladys Britton, Misses Stella and Fern Burgess.

The Willing Workers' class of the Christian Sunday school taught by Mrs. Lizzie Simpson, were entertained by Mrs. Ellen Downs at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Messrs. Ed Craig, H. O'Hair and Winkleblack of the Brighton Christian church attended services at the Christian church here Sunday morning.

The Young Men's Bible class of the Christian Sunday school had charge of the services Sunday morning. Twenty-one members of the class were present and four new pupils enrolled. J. B. Bradfield is teacher of the class.

The members of the Methodist Episcopal church with their families held their weekly social at the church Wednesday night.

Dr. J. W. Alexander of Charleston was a professional caller here Sunday morning.

J. W. Breeden and family were Mattoon visitors Wednesday.

Charles Hudson was a Charleston caller Saturday.

Mrs. H. L. Crawford and H. W Kinney were Tuscola visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. W T. Brown of Champaign came down Wednesday for a couple days' visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Shields were Tuscola visitors Tuesday.

WANT DEPARTMENT FOR FISH, GAME

Peoria, Dec. 11—Divorcement of the game and fish department from the department of agriculture, is one of the important legislative matters to be considered by the 54th General Assembly according to Robert Scholes of this city, among the leading Republican candidates for speaker of the House.

Mr. Scholes proposes to make the fish and game division a department by itself, to be called by a new name.

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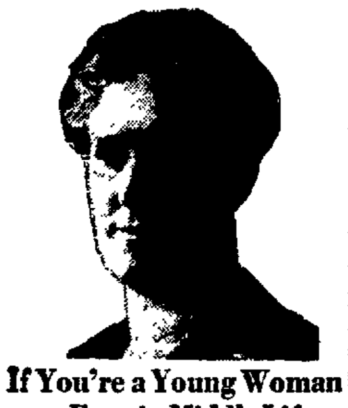

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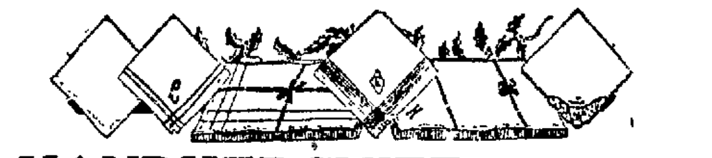

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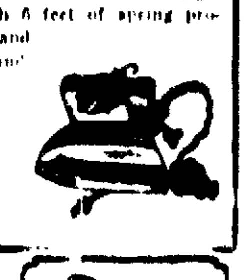

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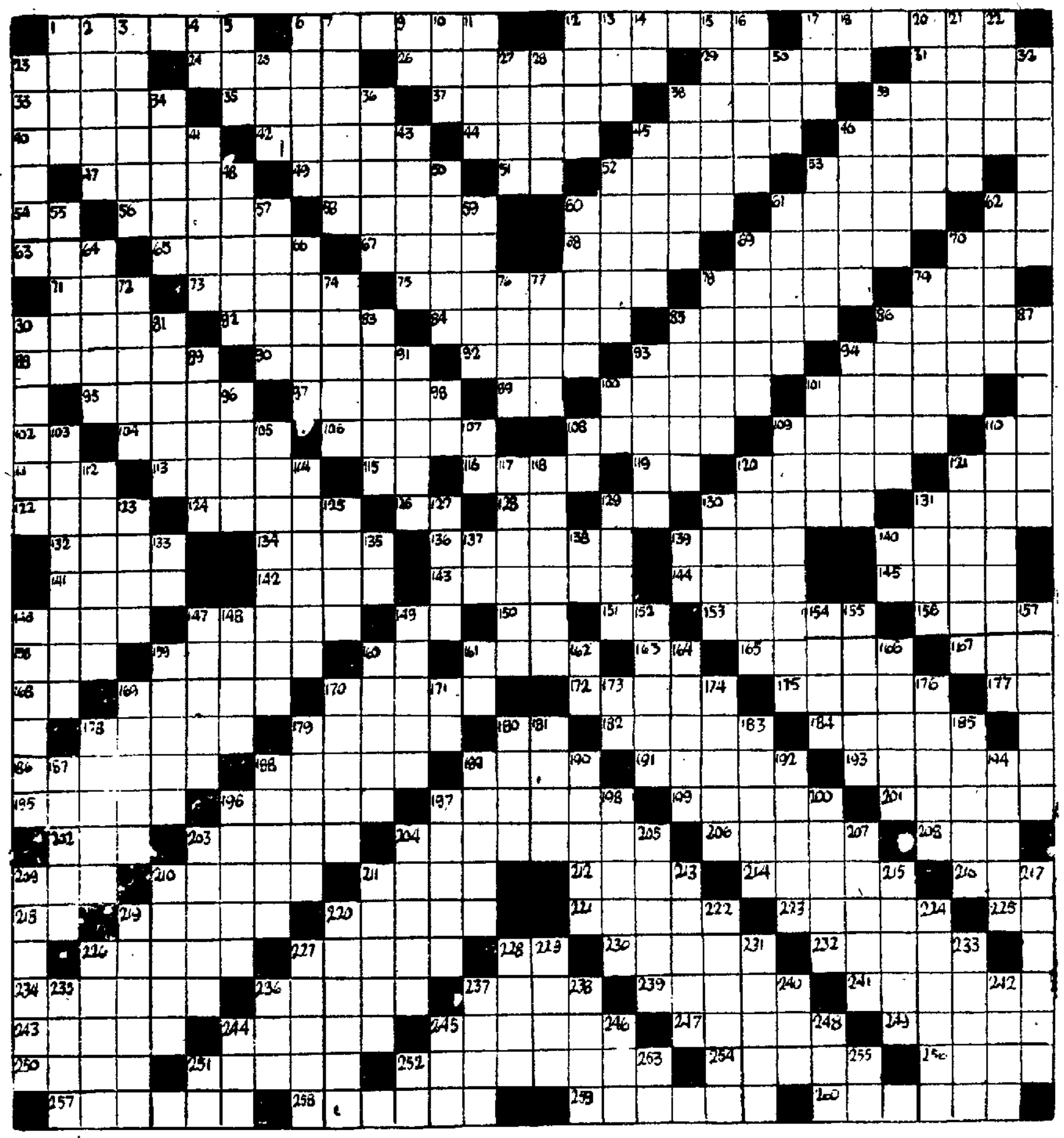


Here's the green dragon of all crossword puzzles. The almost complete absence of proper names, abbreviations, suffixes, prefixes, and archaic words made it unique among puzzles of its magnitude. Baby it along for a few days—it's worth it.

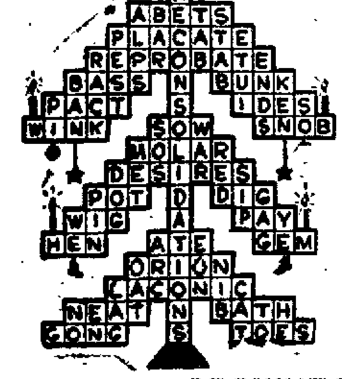
HORIZONTAL.

1. Mock: laugh at.
6. Having an end, in contradiction to infinite.
12. Not stiff; lax.
17. Foods, served cold on lettuce with dressing.
23. Unusual: uncommon.
24. Agree to give.
26. To put on decorative touches. (A hard one, but completely keyed.)
29. Savory.
31. Steer boat.
33. Get up.
35. Sets of three singers.
37. Like nails except that they are threaded. (Easy one for carpenters.)
38. Belt.
39. A species of the nettle family; cloth made from the plant.
40. Decorations for honor or bravery.
42. Make void.
44. Headgear.
45. Bessemerized iron.
46. Original or essential qualities. (A word so common that it's hard to define.)
47. Run away to get married.
49. The jungle cat.
51. Adverb of negation.
52. One who makes shoes.
53. One who makes cakes.
54. A square of type.
56. A kind of heron, sale of whose plumes is forbidden in United States.
58. A rooster raised especially for the table.
60. The lower part of the small intestine.
61. Noted.
62. You (poetic)
63. Twenty-four hours.
65. Possessing ears.
67. Depend upon.
68. Come together.
69. Exchanges of goods for money.
70. Bet usually used with cent
71. Pedal digit.
72. Prongs, as of fork.
75. Retain in memory.
78. Equipped with oars.
79. Ocean.
80. Be father of, particularly as used in Genesis.
82. What an editor does.
84. Give forth shoots; to bud.
85. The organ of the body that produces bile.
86. Trap; also a kind of a drum.
88. The highest functionary of a newspaper.
90. Remained on foot.
92. A small animal with long ears and short tail.
93. Afflicted, as "What —— the x word puzzle editor when he made this one"
94. Cone-shaped heaps of stone, particularly those erected by Druids.
95. A section fo the calyx of a flower.
97. To warble, particularly as the Swiss.
99. As.
100. Questioned; requested.
101. Slides unwillingly.
102. Between sol and ti.
104. Pay back.
106. A Tiberian priest.
108. A cultivated flower of the thistle family; a word that suggests one of the first families of America.
109. Labors.
110. An exclamation.
111. A white church vestment worn over a cassock.
113. Travels, as on a vehicle or animal.
115. In a like manner or degree.
116. A grain relished by animals (plural).
119. Not out.
120. Companions; pals
121. A young dog.
122. A female horse.
124. Following life.
126. Opposite yes.
128. Between do and fa.
129. Either.
130. Writing of extravagant praise.
131. Ornamental fabric of woven design.
132. Prolonged unconsciousness.
134. Close to.
136. To cure again.
139. The part of the body of a man or animal between the lowest rib and the hip bone.
140. An excavating tool, also a verb meaning to choose.
141. To cause retreat.
142. A body of water surrounded by land.
143. Raises spirits or hopes.
144. Was indebted.
145. The flag lily.
146. Darkens.
147. Mucous substance.
149. Exists.
150. Accomplish.
151. An interjection, usually questioning.
153. Sly person.
156. Insects, distant cousins of bees.
158. Third person neuter possessive singular pronoun.
159. Causes to revolve.
160. Indefinite article.
161. Repair.
163. (I) exist.
165. Attempts.
167. Obtain.
168. Forever; also yes in voting.
169. What bees do besides making honey.
170. Kind of rock often found in coal.
172. The lowest deck of a ship.
175. Slumbered.
177. Second note of the C major scale.
178. A vulgar synonym is swat
179. Backbone.
180. Masculine pronoun.
182. A spider; the attecop.
184. Ruin; rot.
186. A repetition in response to a call from an audience.
188. Make glossy.
189. Stuffs.
191. Pertaining to sound.
193. Awe inspiring.
195. The underground parts of a plant.
196. Hoard.
197. Arks.
199. Fast; speedy.
201. Consolidated snow on the top of a mountain. (Plural.)
202. Pedal digit.
203. Frighten.
204. Coloring materials.
206. According to law.
208. Japanese coin, worth about a cent.
209. Not dry.
210. Said; also part of a wheel.
211. Carry. (Colloq.)
212. Brittle covering of the end of the finger.
214. Comparative of rare.
216. Alcoholic drink.
218. Either.
219. Nasal sound made [illegible]
220. Urns.
221. Caper.
223. Drive back.
225. As.
226. To look intently.
227. Cooks in an oven.
228. A bird with a human head symbolizing the soul in ancient Egypt.
230. Shut out; exclude.
232. Pertaining to the kidneys.
234. Go.
236. More sane.
237. The poison tooth of a serpent
239. British native Indian soldier.
241. Inner coat of the eye.
243. Raise in spirits.
244. A fine cloth.
245. The state of being behindhand.
247. Exists.
249. A discolored swelling from the stroke of a whip.
250. Have courage to.
251. A light vessel used for pleasure.
252. Very hard wood.
254. Mercenary.
256. Hens lay them.
257. Established a nest.
258. Organization.
259. One of the meteors that form a shower about Nov. 14 of certain years, so called because of their relation to the constellation of Leo.
260. Free tickets.

VERTICAL

1. Have courage to.
2. Wear away, as by the action of the elements.
3. The selling again.
4. Accomplish.
5. A newt.
6. A pretense.
7. Covertly sarcastic.
9. Neuter pronoun.
10. Contraction of it is.
11. Engrave.
12. Legislative enactments.
13. Another form of 10 vertical.
14. First person objective pronoun, singular case.
15. Regard.
16. More rare.
17. To drink slowly.
18. Paid newspaper announcement
20. Checked; lessened.
21. Hesitate; raise objections.
22. Soothsayer.
23. Battered.
25. Brother; a term applied to certain monks.
27. The official name of the Persian empire.
28. Executive refusal, as of a law.
30. Chum.
32. One who feeds.
34. A biographic and eulogistic memoir.
36. A sweet substance.
37. Fat.
39. Garden implements used for combing grass.
41. A small fish, similar to the herring.
43. One afflicted with leprosy.
45. Unbroken, smooth.
46. Nominated.
48. Uncanny.
50. Parts in a cast.
52. Driving rain mixed with snow or hail.
53. One who bales hay.
55. Matched.
57. Watches; attends to.
59. A goddess of nature living in the woods, mountains, etc.
60. Cause to absorb.
61. Suffered; carried through.
62. Long for.
64. Hindu mystics.
66. Divinity.
69. Rescued.
70. Bell-shaped fruits.
72. One who cats.
74. Chair without a back.
76. Epochs.
77. Member of a Mohammedan tribe inhabiting the Philippines. (Or, if you object to proper names in x word puzzles: an abscess resembling the mulberry.)
78. One who oils.
79. Clips.
80. Medley of noises.
81. A habitual drinker.
83. Substances formed of alkali sodium carbonates.
85. Compared.
86. Ship's sheets of canvas.
87. Get free.
89. Not slow.
91. An evil spirit.
93. Moving about.
94. To go up by one's own efforts.
96. To put a burden on or in.
98. Sixth note of the C major scale.
100. Like.
101. Not sweet.
103. Joyous activity; briskness.
105. Young of sheep or goats.
107. Fifth note of the C major scale.
108. Like.
109. Reverberates; rumbles.
110. Peddler.
112. Sweeping utensils.
114. Gives forth steam.
117. A gallery or promenade lines with shops.
118. German.
120. Lawyer's customer.
121. Walking back and forth.
123. Large Australian ostrich-like birds.
125. A fish similar to the cod.
127. Virgin metals.
129. The hardest word in the puzzle: a looped platinum wire used in making germ cultures.
130. Bends.
131. Italian coin, similar to the franc.
133. Near or in.
135. Do —— me.
137. Hebrew name for divinity.
138. Regarding, used chiefly in letter writing.
139. Behold.
140. 3.1416.
146. Napkin.
147. Ill will; grudge.
148. Demarkation.
149. Empty, void.
152. Stops.
154. Suffers illness.
155. Retains.
157. Mugs for beer.
159. Mixes.
160. Puts in line.
161. First person singular objective pronoun.
162. Accomplish.
164. Driving mechanism.
166. Eating utensil.
169. Swatted.
170. Steeple.
171. Telurium: its chemical symbol.
173. Second note in C major scale.
174. Pertaining to punishment.
176. Thin slabs of brick.
178. To walk or run hastily.
179. At the water's edge.
180. Injury.
181. Blade.
183. Comparative of ripe.
185. A bar of metal turning on a fulcrum and raising a weight
187. One who notes.
188. A short post.
189. Sides of a leaf of a book.
190. Dried leaves of the cassia plant.
192. A good one is a smoke, says Kipling.
194. Bills of fare.
196. Mark or scratch on hard surface.
197. Implants teeth in.
198. Not to sit.
200. One who dares.
202. Play.
204. A puzzling question.
205. Locations.
207. Victim of leprosy.
209. Covered with trees.
210. Trap.
211. Occupied; reserved.
213. The terror of all editors. printed defamation.
215. Freshen.
217. Conduct of life.
219. Says in a statement.
220. All is, says Thackeray.
222. A hard one, but easy to find in a large dictionary; copaiba.
224. Turning machines, used for shaping wood and metal.
226. Reprieve.
227. Immersions.
228. Stable (Noun).
229. Again.
231. Wandered over
233. Having the right to devoting and service: sovereign.
235. Dash; pep.
236. Membranous pouch.
237. Out of; not to.
238. Jail.
240. Japanese coin approximating the dollar.
242. Broken down horses.
244. Not happy.
245. Twist.
246. Collection of fish eggs.
248. Juice of a tree.
251. You, poetic.
252. Neuter singular pronoun
253. Accomplish.
255. So —— it.

Answer to yesterday's Crossword Puzzle:



ASSUMED NAME CAUSES ARREST

William W. Gardner Wanted On Charge Of Grand Larceny.

William W. Gardner of 1745 North Graceland avenue was arrested by the police Wednesday for Chief of Detectives Bell of Evansville, Ind., where he is wanted on a charge of grand larceny.

His arrest came about in a peculiar manner. Here he has been going under the name of Weber. A Mr. Weber who lives on South Illinois street was expecting a phonograph from his mother in Evansville. When he called at the freight house to inquire for it he found a lot of household goods there addressed to him. While he was not expecting such a consignment, he supposed a letter of explanation would come later. He took the goods home and stored them in his basement.

When Gardner, under the name of Weber, called at the freight house for his goods and learned where they had been taken he went to the home of Mr. Weber after them. Mr. Weber became suspicious and notified the police and Gardner was arrested.

USES OLD STORY TO SECURE HELP

A young and well dressed man called at the Social Service bureau Tuesday night with a hard luck story. He presented a letter purporting to be from his wife in Davenport, Ia., saying he should come home at once as she and the children were about to be put out of their home. He asked for money for a night's lodging, supper, breakfast and transportation to Davenport. He was given a room at the railroad Y. M. C. A. and money for supper and breakfast.

Wednesday he was taken to Overseer of the Poor Morgan. Mr. Morgan recognized him as the same young man who had appeared here just two years ago with exactly the same story, the same request and the same letter from his alleged wife. The young man got no help this time. While he had good clothes, he was without an overcoat, however. He wore no overcoat when he was here two years ago, so he is probably used to going without one.

GO OVER PROPERTY AT THE PINES

Ira W. Clokey, Joseph Schoenle, buyer of The Pines, and W. H. Duerr were at The Pines Wednesday afternoon looking over the place to learn what repairs need to be done since the transfer of the property.

Mr. Clokey has been to Ohio, but has returned here to straighten up the last details in the sale of The Pines. He will leave for his home in California soon.

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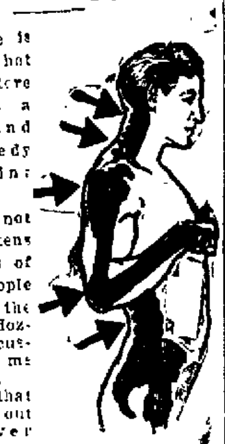
Joint-Ease

Says Druggist



"Joint-Ease is selling like hot cakes in my store because it is a wonderful and speedy remedy for all joint troubles.

"But why not impress on tens of thousands of suffering people some of the things that dozens of my customers tell me almost daily.

"Some say that it knocks out lumbago over night — Others assert that for chest colds and sore throat it has no equal, while many insist that there is nothing they ever tried that is so efficient for neuralgia, neuritis and even head colds and nasal catarrh."

Answering the above letter, we, the makers of Joint-Ease, know that what this thriving New Jersey druggist says is true, but we will maintain that Joint-Ease is prepared for stiff, inflamed, painful, swollen joints, whether in ankle, knee, hip, elbow, shoulder, finger or spine.

You'll like to use penetrating Joint-Ease, for with just one minute's rubbing, it soaks in through the flesh direct to the ailing bones and ligaments—that's why it succeeds—for when Joint-Ease get in joint agony gets out—and without any waste of time all swelling and congestion disappears. Ask Decatur Drug Co, West's Lincoln Square Drug Store, or any druggist anywhere.

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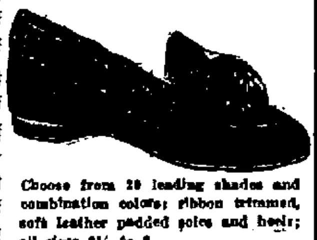
WOMEN'S $1 FELT SLIPPERS 69c



Choose from 20 leading shades and combination colors; ribbon trimmed, soft leather padded soles and heels; all sizes 2½ to 8. FIRST FLOOR

WOMEN'S $1.75 FELT JULIETS $1.19 All Sizes

Choice of grey, black, oxford and navy. All have flexible leather soles and rubber heels. All sizes 2½ to 8. Pair $1.19.

WOMEN'S $2 FELT JULIETS $1.39

Fur and Ribbon trimmed in brown, navy, grey, taupe etc. All with rubber heels and flexible leather soles. Sizes 2½ to 8. Pair $1.39.

Misses' and Children's $1 HOUSE SLIPPERS 69c, 79c, 89c

Ribbon trimmed in red, lavender, navy and Copen; soft padded leather soles and heels; all sizes 5 to 8, 8½ to 11, and 11½ to 2.

CHILDREN'S TO 1.25 Booties 79c 89c 98c

Children's Christmas Slippers; choice of red, lavender and Copen; sizes 5 to 8, 8½ to 11, and 11½ to 2.

CHILDREN'S TO $1 Booties 59c

Red Felt Slippers with Fur or Ribbon to match; all sizes 1 to 6; choice, pair 59c.

BOYS' $1.50 FELT Moccasins 89c - 98c

Indian Moccasin and Everett styles; ideal gifts; sizes 9 to 2 and 2½ to 6

MEN'S $2.50 HOUSE SLIPPERS $1.69

Brown or black Kid leather, flexible leather soles and rubber heels; all wanted styles; all sizes 6 to 12; pair $1.69.

MEN'S $2 HOUSE SLIPPERS $1.49

Choice of brown, navy and grey; leather soles and felt uppers; rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Pair $1.49.

MEN'S $3 LEATHER HOUSE SLIPPERS $1.98

SEE WIN- DOW

Vici Kid with rubber at sides; also Everett styles; flexible leather soles and rubber heels —sizes 6 to 11; pair $1.98.

WOMEN'S 4-BUCKLE GOULASHES $2.98

Firestone 4-buckle Overshoes; styles to fit Military and low heels; all sizes 2½ to 8; pair $2.98.

CHILDREN'S $3 RUBBER BOOTS $1.98

Bright rubber Boots with red tops; fresh stock —all sizes up to 11; pair $1.98.

WOMEN'S $1.25 Rubbers 79c

Storm or Plain Rubbers to fit all style heels; all sizes 2½ to 8; pair 79c.

MEN'S $1.50 House Slippers 98c

High grade felt, all colors, chrome and leather padded soles; sizes 6 to 11; pair 98c

ONE-BUCKLE Overshoes $1 to $1.69

For Men, Women and Children; complete run of sizes. Prices range from $1.00 to $1.69. Two and four buckles priced accordingly.

WOMEN'S TO $4 DRESS SHOES $2.98

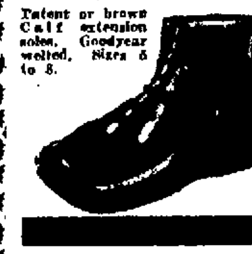
Vici Kid in brown and black, military and low rubber heels; sizes 2½ to 8; pair $2.98.

WOMEN'S UP TO $6 FOOT-WEAR $2.98

New Novelty Straps, Oxfords, Tiels Ties, etc., in Patent, Kid and Calf skin; all wanted heels, all sizes and widths. Pair $2.98.

OTHERS AT $1.98 TO $4.98

CHILDREN'S $3 SHOES $1.98



Patent or brown Calf extension soles, Goodyear welted. Sizes 5 to 8.

MISSES' $4 SHOES $2.98

Comes in Patent with grey or mouse Kid tops; fancy cuff designs; all sizes; pair $2.98.

MISSES' $3 DRESS Shoes $1.98

Brown Calfskin high lace tops guaranteed leather soles, rubber heels, all sizes to large 2 — pair $1.98

Children's Shoes 98c to $1.98

Complete line of two tones; also solid colors; in Patent, brown and black. All sizes 4 to 8. Prices range from 98c to $1.98.

Boys' Hi-Cuts $2.85

Boys' two-buckle Hi-Cut Boots, the kind builts to stand all winter wear; sizes to large 6; pair $2.85.

Boys' $3 Shoes $1.98 to $1.98

Gun Metal or Calfskin in black or brown, Blucher and English styles, all sizes 9½ to 13½, and 1 to 6.

MEN'S $2.50 WORK SHOES $1.69

Men's Elkskin style Scout style Work Shoes, all sizes 6 to 11. Specially priced, pair $1.69.

MEN'S $6 SHOES & OXFORDS $3.98

Russian Calf, Goodyear welted soles, all new wanted styles, all sizes 6 to 11. Pair $3.98.

MEN'S REGULAR $4 SHOES AND OXFORDS $3.45

The Best Footwear Value in Decatur. Choose from brown or black Calfskin or Gun Metal, English and broad lasts —all sizes 6 to 11; pair

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$1.25 LUXOR & MAVIS TOILET WATER, 98c — LUXOR SINGLE OR DOUBLE COMPACTS, $1.39

Women's 50c Christmas Boxed HANDKERCHIEFS 39c
Fine quality Lawn Handkerchiefs, plain white and colors, with hemmed and scalloped edges, some emb. corners, 3 in a box, for 39c.
Others 69c, 79c, 89c and 98c.
FIRST FLOOR

CHINESE ART BASKETS 58c
Medium size, coin, ring, bead and tassel trimmed; special 58c. —Basement

WOMEN'S $1.25 SILK VESTS 98c
Fine quality Silk Vests, assorted colors; come in gift box for 98c.
FIRST FLOOR

WOMEN'S TO $1.50 SAMPLE BELTS 69c
Choice of Patent and Suede; all colors, including white; various widths; for 69c. —First Floor

WOMEN'S TO $2 MANICURE SETS $1.39
Eight-piece Pearl or Shell finish Manicure Sets, a beautiful gift, for $1.39.
FIRST FLOOR

SPECIAL PURCHASE AND SALE WOMEN'S NEWEST NECKWEAR 69c
Just received, a big shipment of new wanted Collar and Cuff Sets. Special price concessions makes it possible for us to sell them at about the cost of making. Materials are Silk, Flannel and Lace embroidered styles, etc.; special at 69c.
Other Sets 95c, $1.24 and $1.49.
FIRST FLOOR

Buy Practical Xmas Gifts Here and Save!

Special the Gift Perfume 47c
Atom Toilet Water in ... shaped ... gifts ...

Fast Express Brings More HAND BAGS AND PURSES TO SELL FOR 2.95
Choose from Vanity Pouches, Underarm Bags, Beaded Bags, etc. Come in black and wanted colors. All have inside fittings; for $2.95.
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To $7.50 Newest Vanity PURSES 4.95
Wonderful new styles, new novel interior fittings, large mirrors, Patent, Suede, Dull Kid, etc. Special at $4.95.
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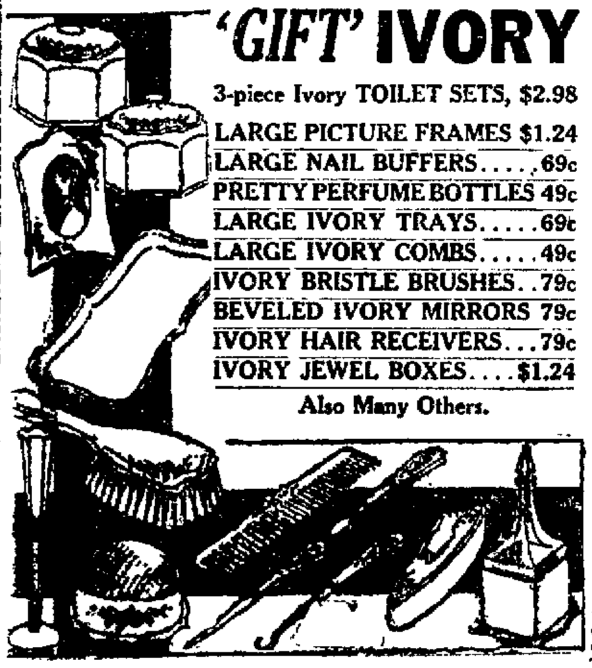

'GIFT' IVORY
3-piece Ivory TOILET SETS, $2.98
LARGE PICTURE FRAMES $1.24
LARGE NAIL BUFFERS.....69c
PRETTY PERFUME BOTTLES 49c
LARGE IVORY TRAYS.....69c
LARGE IVORY COMBS.....49c
IVORY BRISTLE BRUSHES..79c
BEVELED IVORY MIRRORS 79c
IVORY HAIR RECEIVERS...79c
IVORY JEWEL BOXES....$1.24
Also Many Others.

Women's Gloves

2-clasp warm Suede Gloves, emb. backs, black, brown, grey; all sizes, for 45c. **45c**
Gauntlet style; also Fancy Cuff styles; many shades; all sizes; pair, 98c. **98c**

SALE 500 PAIRS OF $3 FRENCH KID GLOVES $1.98
Just received, Imported French Kid Gauntlet Gloves; also Cape Kid Gauntlets; wanted shades; all sizes. Specially featured in Christmas sales, pair $1.98. —First Floor

Long Kid Gloves $4.89
16-button length long Kid Gloves. Come in black, brown, grey and tan; all sizes. In Christmas gift box, pair $4.89.
FIRST FLOOR

Another Big Shipment of Silk and Wool HOSE ... Silk or ...

They just arrived—Hundreds of pairs of All Silk or Silk and Wool Sport Hose; wanted plain colors in Silk and Novelty Checks and mixtures in Silk and Wool; practical gifts—pair $1.15.
FIRST FLOOR

$2.50 SILK HOSE 1.79 PAIR
Women's full fashioned pure thread Silk Hose; the well known "Mermaid Brand." All wanted colors and sizes. Our price, pair $1.79. —First Floor

SILK AND WOOL SPORT HOSE 49c-69c
English ribbed or plain Silk and Wool Sport Hose; also fine quality Silk Hose; two groups greatly underpriced; all sizes. Pair 49c and 69c. —First Floor

PRACTICAL GIFTS FROM INFANTS' DEPT.

2ND FLOOR
Infants' $2.50 Wool Knitted CAPES for $1.98
Infant all wool Knitted Capes, Angora trimmed; come in pink and blue; special at $1.98
SECOND FLOOR

$1.75 "TEDDY BEAR" MUFFS $1.39
Warm Teddy Bear Muffs; pretty Face Doll and Teddy Bear heads; specially priced at $1.39. —SECOND FLOOR

INFANTS' $1.50 GINGHAM CREEPERS. 98c
INFANTS' $2 WARM BATH ROBES FOR $1.39
Infants' $1.25 Novelty KNITTED CAPS for.... 98c
Infants' Angora Four-PIECE SETS for..... $4.95
Knitted Sacques $1.49
Infants' Carriage BOOTS AND SHOES, Pair..... 98c
Silk & Wool Hose, Pair 59c

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COATS AND DRESSES
TO BE FEATURED AT 14
VALUES TO $25

THE DRESSES
The Dresses include new Sport Flannels and Novelty Plaids, attractive Gold Belts, Collar and Cuff Sets and buttons make them a little different. Also Canton, Satins and knitted materials. Sizes 16 up to and including 52, at $14.
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THE COATS
Big, roomy, comfortable Coats that ought ... to sold in one day. Include are MOCK POLAIRES, SUEDE VELOURS, DOWNY WOOL, etc., all full lined, some are silk lined, button and Novelty cuff trimmed. Choice $14

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English Broadcloth Shirts, neat striped patterns, very dressy looking, also Silk Striped Madras, coat style Shirts, neck-band or collar-on styles all sizes 14 to 17, for $1.95.

65c TIES 39c
Knitted Four-In-Hands—pretty patterns; special

MEN'S $4 GENUINE "NUSYLK" SHIRTS $2.95
These look like silk, feel like silk, but will wear better than silk. Neat pin stripes in medium and dark colors, neckband or collar on styles, some with separate collars to match; all sizes, for $2.95.
ALL SIZES

MEN'S TO $1.50 "GIFT" Neckwear 85c
Choice of Knitted and Cut Silk Ties, new College and other stripes, wide range of light, medium and dark colors. Come in Christmas gift boxes for 85c.

MEN'S $6.50 BATH ROBES $4.95
Fine quality Blanket Bath Robes. Come in neat checked, figured and striped patterns; trimmed with silk colored edgings—all sizes; at $4.95.
FIRST FLOOR

MEN'S $12.50 LEATHER Vests 8.95
Fine quality all leather Vests, wool lined with elastic knitted wrists and neck, sizes 36 to 46, for $8.95.

MEN'S $1.50 NEW Xmas Sets 89c
Fibre Silk Hose and Garter Sets for 89c. Complete Shaving Stand Sets for 89c. Silk Finished Elastic Suspender Sets for 89c.

Men's $6.50 All Wool Sweater $3.95
Rope knit all wool Sweaters, plain and combination colors, sizes 36 to 46, for $3.95.

Men's 15c KERCHIEFS. 9c

MEN'S $8.09 SPORT SUEDE COATS .. $6.95

Men's $2.50 PAJAMAS. $1.95
Choice of fine mercerized solid color materials, silk frog trimmed, also neat striped heavy Flannelette two-piece pajamas, all sizes at $1.95.

75c Wool Sport Hose 49c

Shaving Sets 98c to $7.95
Stand, Mirror, Brush, etc.

MEN'S BIG, WARM "PLAID BACK" O'COATS

CONSERVATIVE AND YOUNG MEN'S $25 COATS $15
ULSTERS AND ULSTERETTES—REAL $30-$35 VALUES FOR $20

OVERSTOCKED MARKET SURPLUS AT A SAVING OF $5 to $15

We bought this stock of Overcoats at a great concession, which accounts for the great saving. Included are Plaid Back models, Double-Breasted Ulsters and Storm Coats with convertible collar; half, full or 3-piece belts and set-in sleeves, in several shades of Browns, Tan, Gray, Green, etc., sizes 34 to 44. Truly a wonderful lot of warm, serviceable Winter Coats at only $15 and $20.
MEN'S DEPT., FIRST FLOOR—SEE WINDOW

BOYS!---GIRLS GIFTS AND SEASONABLE NEEDS!

Boys' $9 OVERCOATS 6.95
Heavy quality warm Overcoats; large collars; belted models; wanted dark shades; sizes 8 to 17 years, for $6.95. —2ND FLOOR

$3 SWEATERS 2.49
Coat or Slip Over style heavy knit Sweaters, combination colors; sizes 8 to 14 years, for $2.49.

Boys' $1 Belt and Tie Sets for........89c
Boys $8 Sheep Lined Coats for....$6.95
Boys' $1.50 Wool Eagle Caps for $1.24
Boys' $1.25 Corded Madras Shirts, 95c

Girls' Real $9 Winter COATS $6.95
Plain or Block Polo or Sport Plaid Warm Winter Coats—pretty styles, real values, sizes 1 to 14 years, for $6.95.

$3 SWEATERS $2.49
Fine quality Wool Sweaters, Coat or Slip Over styles, pretty colors; choice $2.49

CHILDREN'S BATH ROBES $1.24
Girls' Flannel Billie Burkes..........89c
Girls' $2 Gingham Dresses........$1.49
Girls' $4 Flannel Middies for.......$2.88
Children's $1.39 Gingham Rompers, 98c

TOYS

$3 "MAMA" TALKING DOLLS $1.95
About six styles to choose from, Sun Bonnet Dressed Styles. Some are extra large Romper Dressed. Most all have real hair, others have unbreakable heads, cute faces —choice $1.95.

$6.50 ELECTRIC TRAINS $4.95
The genuine Dorphan make, complete set with electric motor engine, two cars and full set of track; real $6.50 value for $4.95.

RUBBER TIRE VELOCIPEDES, Up from..... $2.98

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TRAIN SETS $1.24
Dorphan make strong spring engine, coal car and coach with track, for $1.24.

DESKS FOR $2.98
Flat top natural finish Desk; inside compartment; slate attached. Our price

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Genuine, copied after larger make, $5 value for $4.49.

ZELLOPHONE 89c
Ten-note clear sounding Zellophones. Book of Music and Instructions, all

1925 AUTOMOBILE $9.95
1925 model Oldsmobile Roadster, fully equipped balloon tires, etc. Special

25c Trixo Climbing Monkeys for........14c
Complete Sets of Educational Blocks, 29c up
Bissel's Carpet Sweepers, special at......39c
$2 Strong Choo Choo Cars for........$1.49
Educational Building Sets, $1.25 value..89c
3-wheel Rubber Tired Flivers for.....$1.98
U. S. Mail Trucks, large size..........95c
Pay-as-You-Enter Street Car.........$1.39
Children's Rocking Chairs for.........$1.24
Over 25c Different Story Books at.........9c
Police and Fireman Play Suits..........$2.98
Alabama Coon Jiggers for...............49c
Well made Teddy Bears for...........49c
Monoplane Flexible Sleds for........$1.39

"Gift Shop"
OFFERS COMPLETE ASSORTMENTS OF GIFTS FOR "HIM" OR "HER"

Tomorrow—300 Satin HATS $1.69
Scores of STYLES—new bow turbans, brocaded Hats, fur-trimmed models, dance turbans, flower Hats, draped effects, novelty shapes, broad brims, roller droop models

Metallic TRIMMINGS
These Hats are cleverly combined with metallic cloth on the brims, crowns, or in the form of bindings; or with brilliant ornaments, metallic laces, novelty ribbons or fancies.

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BASEMENT Specials!
$1.24 40-inch Pure Silk CREPE DE CHINE, yard for 89c
$2.24 2½-yard Fringed Striped COUCH COVERS for.. $1.69
40c Mercerized 36-inch Genuine MOTOR SATEEN, yard 34c
$1.00 36-inch Pure Silk VESTING, MANY COLORS, yard 79c
16c 30-inch Soft Quality LONG CLOTH, no dressing, 10 yds $1.19

SALE HUNDREDS OF YARDS TO $2 DRESS SILKS YARD $1.19
Large range of beautiful Silks, all wanted colors. Included are:
40-in. Crepe De Chine — 36-in. Taffetas
36-in. Messaline — 32-in. Shirtings
36-in. Satins — 40-in. Georgettes
36-in. Baronet Satin
On sale Friday and Saturday only, yard $1.19. —BASEMENT

36-inch Light and Dark OUTING FLANNELS, yard.. 24c
89c 2-lb. 72x90 Double Bed Size COTTON BATTS.. 79c
$1.44 Grey and Plaid SINGLE BLANKETS, each.... 98c
69c Fancy Embroidered PILLOW CASES, each........ 49c

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25 IN SEMI-FINALS M'DAVID CONTEST

Seventeen Women, Eight Men, to Compete.

Qualifying speeches for the McDavid Prize Speaking Contest have been completed and Professor William E. Young, head of the department of public speaking at the James Millikin university, has announced that seventeen women and eight men will compete in the semi-finals of this contest.

Speeches made before judges from the public speaking department were from 400 to 600 wards in length and were delivered from memory by the contestants. The young women who were admitted to the semi-finals and who will compete in them are as follows: Miss Beatty, Miss Brown, Miss Challis, Miss Chittum, Miss Crawford, Miss Dobson, Miss Flug, Miss Garrett, Miss Harris, Miss Maddox, Miss Melton, Miss Hetzger, Miss Palmer, Miss Proctor, Miss Porter, Miss Stewart and Miss Watkins. From this group six will be chosen for the finals which are to be held early in January following the Christmas vacation.

The eight men who were admitted to the semi-finals are as follows: Mr. Classen, Mr. Darkin, Mr. Ditto, Mr. East, Mr. Kenney, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Wagenseller and Mr. Yoder. Only two of this group will be eliminated in the semi-finals and the remaining six will participate in the final contest, which is to be held before the public.

Semi-finals will be held in the Little Theater, from 7 until 9 o'clock Monday, Dec. 15. Judges will be picked from the faculty.

DEBATING TEAM.

Robert Taylor, Sam Smith and Herman Pritchett have been chosen as the members of the Millikin debating team which is to represent J. M. U. in the debate Feb. 19, at Peoria, with Bradley. On the following day this team will go to Wheaton to debate with Wheaton College and on March 4 will meet Ripon College at Millikin. The three debates are all single ones and the question to be discussed is "Resolved that the decisions handed down by the supreme court should be subject to review by congress." Prof. W. E. Young is coaching the Millikin team.

"CHARITY" PATIENT LEAVES $120,000

Honolulu, Dec. 12—A probate revealed Thursday that Walter Bradley, a Honolulu piano tuner, who died as a charity patient in Queen's hospital, on May 30, when it was believed he was penniless, left a $120,-

DENY YOUNG WAS COUNTY EMPLOYE

Dry Raider Refutes Indictment Charge.

Marion, Ill., Dec. 12—The statement of Glenn Young that he was hired by the Williamson county board of commissioners and not by the Ku Klux Klan was denied by Sam Stearns, chairman of the board and S. E. Sterme, county clerk. County Treasurer Melvin Thaxton said that he had never paid any county orders for work done by Young. Stearns said that Young was not at that time and is not now employed by the board.

A prediction that State's Attorney Boswell, klansman, would nolle the indictments of klansmen in Williamson county failed to materialize in county court this week, when Boswell asked that a special prosecutor be appointed for all of the cases including those against Young. Boswell, before his election, represented many of the klansmen and is himself named in some of the indictments.

DENIES INDICTMENT.

Herrin, Ill., Dec. 12—S. Glenn Young, informed Thursday that Judge A. E. Somers of Harrisburg had stated he was sure Young had been indicted by the Pope county grand jury, said he had talked recently to three of the grand jurors, including the foreman, who said the jury had at no time even considered returning such an indictment.

Young said that he and "at least twenty-five others" at Golconda, Ill., including the sheriff and state's attorney, had inspected the indictment, and the only names appearing on it were those of John Frothingham and Harold C. Stever.

IMPROVED AWARDS IN MOULTRIE SHOW

Poultry and Pet Stock Exhibit Jan. 12-17.

Sullivan, Dec. 12—Secretary Webb Tichenor has announced that the premiums to be awarded at the annual show of the Moultrie County Poultry and Pet Stock association in Sullivan the week of Jan. 12 to 17 will be by far the best that the Association ever has been able to offer.

The Association now owns its own coops. A big spacious room will house the show and two prominent judges will be present to officiate. The premium list will be ready for distribution about Jan. 1. Local enthusiasts have diligently worked and solicited for premiums and have met with a decided success.

FIFTH ANNUAL.

This will be the fifth annual show of the present association. From year to year this proposition has grown and it has had a great influence on bettering the breeding stock of poultry on the farms of this county. Special cups and special awards will be offered for the outstanding entries.

Breeders of pure bred poultry are urged to plan now for their exhibits. Indications are that the number of exhibitors will show an increase, as has been the case each succeeding year.

The Loyal Daughters of the Christian church will hold their annual bazaar Saturday, Dec. 13 in the room occupied by the Wade Robertson shoe repairing parlor.

AUDITING BOOKS.

The auditing committee of the board of supervisors has been busy this week going over the books of the county officers. The members of the committee are Supervisors A. M. Blythe, M. E. Foster, Frank Fleming and Omar Lowe.

The will of William Harrison Cadwell has been filed for probate in the county court. He leaves all of his real estate and personal property to his two nephews, Charlie N. and Loren Albert Cadwell. The property is to be divided as nearly equal as possible between the two. There was a $10,000 mortgage on the 160 acres farm, which according to the will he desired to pay off before his death.

According to the will Mr. Cadwell left two farms, one of 160 acres, the other 120 acres. The witnesses to the will were J. K. Martin and Jas. B. Craig, Jr.

U. S. RAILROADS TO NEED BILLIONS

New York, Dec. 12—New capital in excess of a billion dollars annually will be required by the nation's railroads as a result of the demands of additional business, said Samuel O. Dunn, editor of the Railway Age.

VISITORS FROM TEXAS AND PANA

Champaign, Dec. 12—Mrs. S. F. Carpenter of Pana and her sister, Mrs. Tom Carpenter of Texas, have returned to their homes from an extended visit with Mrs. S. F. Carpenter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Foil of Champaign. While there they motored to Villa Grove and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lamb, the former a nephew which Mrs. Carpenter had not seen for thirty years. She also visited others near town.

Mrs. S. F. Carpenter of Pana, Mr. and Mrs. Foil of Champaign and Mrs. Tom Carpenter of Texas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Syd Winters in Mackinaw, Ill., Mrs. Winters being the daughter of Mrs. Carpenter.

On Dec. 4 Mr. and Mrs. Foil were hosts with a 7 o'clock dinner in their home. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lamb and son Harold of Villa Grove, Mrs. S. F. Carpenter of Pana and Mrs. Tom Carpenter of Texas.

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U. S. LENDS AID TO PUZZLE FIEND

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12—The goddess of agriculture—in three letters—is "Ops."

The department of agriculture made this announcement to the country Thursday for the benefit of cross word puzzlers, but refrained from any intimation that the action was to be considered a precedent.

"Ops" got into the correspondence of the department when the Philadelphia office obligingly searched a dictionary to please a young woman puzzle addict.

M'COY'S SISTER FORGETS STORY

Los Angeles, Dec. 12.—Under direct examination by the prosecution, Mrs. Jennie Thomas, sister of "Kid" McCoy, ex-fighter, the man charged with the slaying of Theresa Mors, divorced wife of an antique dealer, late Thursday testified that she "was not able to state" what her brother had told her following Mrs. Mors' death. She was a witness for the prosecution.

The grand jury records of Aug. 13, which indicted McCoy, disclosed a direct question to Mrs. Thomas:

"CERTAINLY NOT!"

"You did not believe your brother when he told that he had killed a woman, did you?"

"Certainly not," she replied.

On a question from the defense, asking whether her brother had told her that he had killed a woman, she answered negatively.

She answered the prosecution that she was "not able to state, and did not remember what he said."

Warns Middle-Aged Women To Check High Blood Pressure

Thousands of women at the changing time of life are in danger of high blood pressure. It is caused by poisonous waste matter accumulating in the system or the weakening of one or more organs. This forces the heart to do more work and raises blood pressure.

The symptoms are dizziness, shortness of breath, head pains, flushed face, nervousness or sleeplessness. High blood pressure must be treated and stopped for everyone knows it brings on Bright's disease, apoplexy and often sudden death. It is too dangerous and quick acting to go without heeding its symptoms.

Norma is a doctor's prescription for high blood pressure that has been used with great success.

Being a purely vegetable medicine it contains no habit forming drugs, is harmless, and works in such a way that it drives out waste matter, lessens the duty of the over-taxed heart and reduces blood pressure swiftly and safely. Often one bottle brings great relief. Get a bottle of Norma today and free yourself of life shortening high blood pressure.

For sale by Decatur Drug Co., and all other good druggists.

BEECHAM'S PILLS for Sick Headaches

Christmas House Slippers

Men's Fine Felt House Slippers, Heavy Padded Soles, All Colors, Special at

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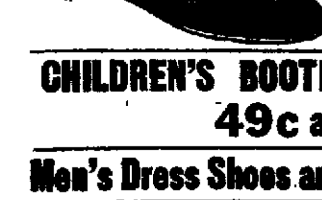
WOMEN'S FELT HOUSE SLIPPERS



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CHILDREN'S BOOTIE STYLE SLIPPERS

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Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords ..$2.95

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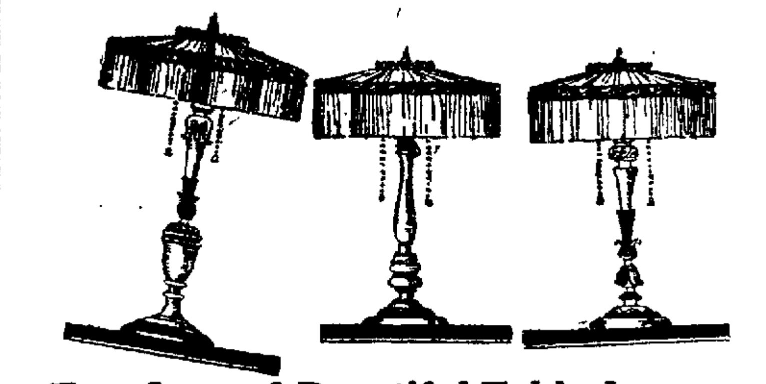
Why Not Give Furniture ?

Two short weeks remain in which to complete your planning and do your shopping. Time now becomes an important factor. Almost everyone this Christmas is interested in new furniture for the home or for gifts. We present for your consideration the best assortments of really desirable things ever, and we believe the best furniture values in all the city will be found here—comparison will prove it so.

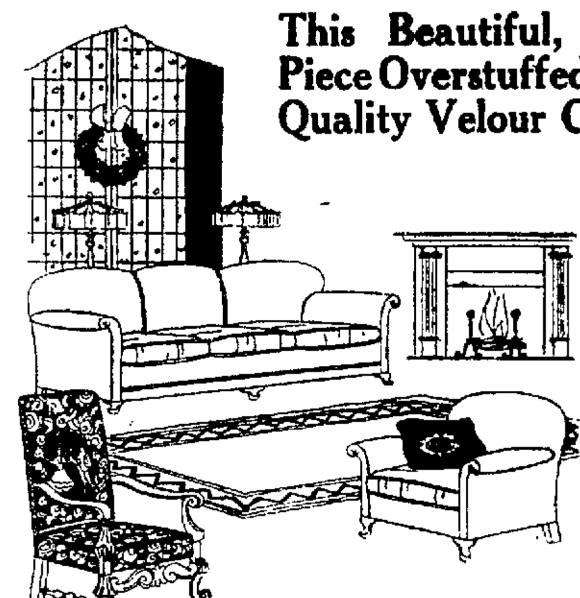


Two Lots of Beautiful Table Lamps at Almost Unbelieveable Low Prices

Reading lamps with shades of georgette and polychrome bases, piped and weighted, in variety almost without limitation........ $12.95

Another great lot with metal leaf bases and exquisite georgette shades—many are actual $25.00 values........ $14.75

LET US SUGGEST PROMPT ACTION on your part, however, for the values being so very unusual are sure to sell rapidly.



This Beautiful, Wonderfully Made, Two Piece Overstuffed Suite in Excellent Quality Velour Covering, at . . $139

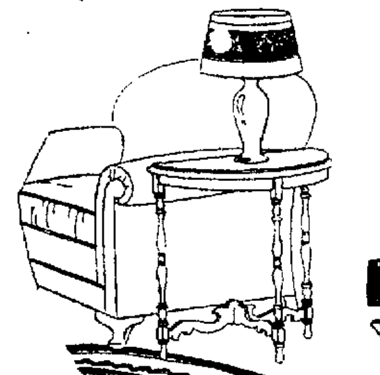
Illustration is an exact drawing. It is a Leath made suite, made in our own factory and built to give an entire lifetime of service.

This suite represents without question the biggest value on the market today, and only by producing it ourselves, is such value possible even here in this store. Note the graceful lines, see the suite, examine closely the unusual construction ... to match it.

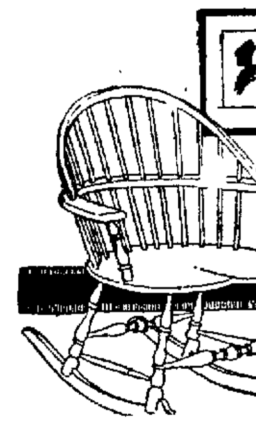
Other Two Piece Suits Specially Priced for Holiday Selling at $128.75 and up

The fireside chair shown is distinctive and ... upholstered in beautiful wool tapestry with deep luxurious spring filled seat. A special $35.00

Tempting Values Really! Are They Not?



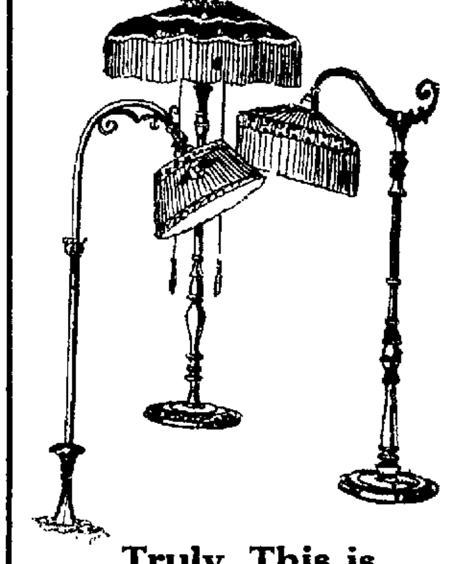
In all America, no greater value than this charming mahogany finished end table at $3.95



A diversity of attractive Windsor rockers, every one an incomparable value ....$10.90 and up

For only a dollar or so more than you are asked to pay for substitutes, you may buy the Martha Washington sewing cabinet illustrated the left in solid walnut or in solid mahogany. It's a special at $19.00

Below we illustrate an attractive tapestry table runner, in size 12x50 inches, at $1.95



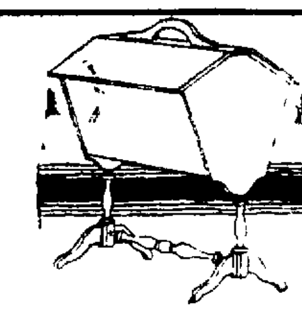
Truly, This is Lamp Buying Opportunity

An unusual assemblage of Bridge Lamps with attractive wrought iron bases and parchment shades should create lots of excitement $7.90

And, for that matter, so should the exquisite Bridge Lamps with georgette shades and weighted polychrome bases on sale now at $11.95

Yet neither lot represents more remarkable value than the incomparable Junior Lamps with their charming shades of georgette, silk pull cords and tassels and handsome polychrome and metal leaf bases at $19.95

At double these prices they would still be excellent values. Don't delay, however, if you'd avail yourself of this unusual opportunity.



Priscilla Sewing Cabinets of gumwood in mahogany finish, special $6.95

By far the most beautiful ... of Doll Carriages that ... been shown. Every one ... ordinary value ... $7.95 and up

CONVENIENT TERMS IF YOU WISH

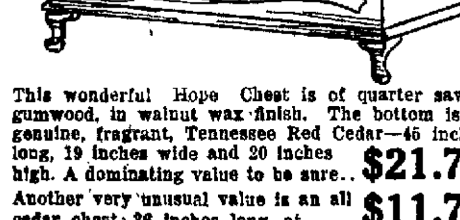
Even though the prices are very low it is not necessary that you pay all cash unless you prefer to do so. We will gladly arrange for you to pay in convenient amounts, a little each month or week.

The charming rocker illustrated below is solid mahogany with cane panels and produced by one of the highest grade makers in America. Is it not a remarkable value $16.75

The smokers stand illustrated ... is of wrought iron ... very attractive and being heavy it will not tip over. An outstanding value ... $1.49

A smokers stand or humidor cabinet is always a sure solution of the gift problem for men ... man ever has too many. And such an interesting variety to select from.

A Wonderful Opportunity to Invest the Xmas Saving Club Check!



This wonderful Hope Chest is of quarter sawed gumwood, in walnut wax finish. The bottom is of genuine, fragrant, Tennessee Red Cedar—45 inches long, 19 inches wide and 20 inches high. A dominating value to be sure.. $21.75

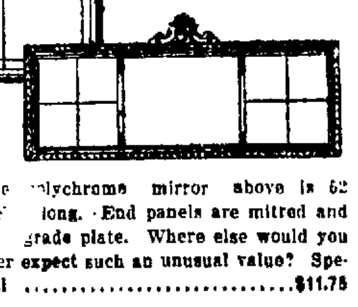
Another very unusual value is an all cedar chest, 36 inches long, at...... $11.75

Why not make your selection now while you can purchase so advantageously. We will hold for Christmas delivery if you wish.

TOYS

Hundreds of Toys, Games and Dolls to delight the heart of every child in this vicinity. Here you can buy them at prices within your means.

Come In and Bring the Kiddies



Consider what an unusual value is the mirror illustrated to the left. Special $6.75

The polychrome mirror above is 52 inches long. End panels are mitred and high grade plate. Where else would you ever expect such an unusual value? Special $11.75

A lovely Fibre Reed Fernery, is it not? And, though you'd naturally expect to pay $9 or $10 for it, you won't need to. It's a special and the price is only $6.75

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UNITED BRETHREN OPEN CONFERENCE

Prominent Church People on Program.

"The Good Minister" was the theme of the talks in the opening session of the Decatur district of the United Brethren conference at the First church of Decatur Thursday afternoon.

Among the many notables of the denomination present at the conference was Bishop H. H. Fout, of Indianapolis. He was on the Thursday afternoon program, giving a short message after the main talks had been given, making a review of what had been said. He will address the conference Friday.

TALKS ON GOOD MINISTRY.

Dr. W. L. Perkins, Illinois conference superintendent, of Bloomington, opened the conference with a talk on "Good Ministry," and presided during the entire afternoon.

Dr. W. H. Arbogast, of the First church of Decatur, talked on "The Good Minister in His Home," and Rev. J. W. Burgess, of Decatur spoke on "A Good Minister in His Pulpit." He was chosen to make the address on this subject because of his long experience in the pulpit. He has been in the ministry for fifty seven years.

Rev. Sylvester Sanford, of Latham, pastor of the Harmony church, also spoke, using as his subject "The Minister in His Parrish."

OFFICERS PRESENT.

Officers of the conference who were present were President I. J. Good, of the Indiana Central College, of Indianapolis, who will be on the Friday program, Rev. L. A. Whitsell, of Bloomington, and Rev Roy Burkhart, of Dayton, O., who is head of the Young People's department of the Sunday school of the United Brethren church.

The Thursday night session was in charge of the young people of the Christian Endeavor society. Rev. Mr Burkhart spoke on Sunday school work, and President Good spoke on Christian Endeavor work.

W. C. T. U. HEARS STATE REPORTS

Have 17,165 Paid Members In State Now.

Reports of the state and national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held in Chicago in November, were give by Miss Margaret E. Crissey, county president of the W. C. T. U., at the regular meeting of the organization held Wednesday afternoon in the First Christian church. Fifty women were in attendance and heard the reports.

Forty-five county presidents attended the state convention which was held in the Sherman hotel. There are 17,165 paid members of the W. C. T. U. in Illinois at the present time, according to the report. The fight for prohibition by the W. C. T. U. was begun in 1818 and is still continuing. The aim of the union is to interest the youth of today in prohibition. At the state meeting a large cake of three tiers with fifty candles on it were on the table at banquet and Miss Crissey brought piece of the cake to the members.

The National convention was held in the Madina Temple in Chicago.

Following Miss Cressy's report, Mrs. Jessie Monsor presented her a bouquet of roses in appreciation of her work.

C. W. EVANS HELPS D. H. S. TEACHING

Takes Classes While H. H. Radcliff Is Ill.

There is a new hand at the bellows in the high school teaching staff, one C. W. Evans, who is officially rated as business assistant to the superintendent of schools. He is relieving H. H. Radcliff, head of the department of physics and physiography, who is ill with flu. Mr. Evans' business is school houses, coal, janitor service and things of that kind but he works any place he is put.

Mr. Evans is not so much a stranger to his temporary job as might be supposed. He was rated by the assistant state fire marshal at the recent inspection of Decatur school buildings as the best public school housekeeper in Illinois. But he isn't a head janitor, an engineer or a general housekeeper. He is essentially a teacher. He was superintendent of the Blue Mound schools for years and was head of the high school and an instructor in the school. He reverts to type easily and pleasantly and he likes the change.

Superintendent Richeson volunteered to take the class in physiography Thursday. He was also a teacher and he likes to get back on that job occasionally. Physiography is a sort of harmonious combination of physical geography, physics, geology and other sciences that have to do with the earth's crust and it was his specialty as a teacher.

STALEY SALESMEN COME NEXT WEEK

Will Study Company Goods and Salesmen Methods.

More than fifty Staley salesmen will be in Decatur next week for their annual conference with the company. Goods and methods will be gone over. Entertainment will be provided, a large block of seats being reserved for Otis Skinner on Wednesday night at the Lincoln Square.

MISS NIEDERMEYER EXPLAINS WORK

Addresses Board of Supervisors.

Miss Ada Niedermeyer, secretary of the Social Service bureau, was before the board of supervisors Thursday afternoon to explain the workings of the bureau in cooperating with the other charitable institutions of the city and county and the overseer of the poor.

There had been a rumor that Mrs. E. M. Wagenseller, probation officer, had not been cooperating with Miss Niedermeyer in the work and Miss Niedermeyer declared that there was no foundation for such a rumor. She said that no one could cooperate more fully or more successfully than Mrs. Wagenseller has done. She suggested that Mrs. Wagenseller be given some help in her office in maintaining valuable records that would prevent duplication of charitable work by the various organizations.

Chairman Ammann appointed Supervisors Tenney, Irwin and Baldwin as an advisory committee to consult with Mrs. Wagenseller.

GET AUTO LIST.

On motion of Supervisor Kline the purchasing committee was authorized to secure a list of all automobiles owned in Macon county for the use of the assessor and the board of review.

G. L. Davis was appointed constable in place of L. A. Sheney, who resigned.

COFFMAN REPORTS.

When County Treasurer B. F. Coffman announced that over $10,000 had been paid into the treasury by the banks of the county as interest on county funds, Supervisor Rainey created a laugh by suggesting that this money be turned over to the hard roads committee.

Treasurer Coffman's report for the half year ending Dec. 1, showed total balances on that date amounting to $185,257,42, distributed among the banks as follows: Millikin bank, $50,162.81; Decatur State, $14,761.58; Citizens, $22,193.25; National of Decatur, $16,330.22; Farmers State, $81,305.58; and cash in the office, $503.98. He reported total fees of the office at $63,202.91 and expenditures, $46,628.39.

The other county officials all reported large earnings and each has a good balance to turn over to the treasury.

BOOKS FROM REVIEW TO TB SANATORIUM

Collection Delivered Friday Morning.

One hundred and sixty-one books and twenty-three magazines, a total of 184 pieces, were taken from The Review office to the Macon county tuberculosis sanatorium Friday morning. This was the supply of books and magazines which had been brought to The Review office for the sanatorium library. The books were delivered in a Review truck.

Hundreds of other books have already been taken to the sanatorium. That the sanatorium will have a good sized library is assured, due to the drive for books which was started in November.

CHECK OVER BOOKS.

Mrs. R. D. Wood, who has been directing the campaign for books for the sanatorium, and a number of other women expected to be at the sanatorium Friday afternoon to check over the books.

Late contributions to the collection at The Review office were:

"The Woman Who Toils" (Van Vorst)

"Character Building" (Hall).

"White Slavery" (Chrysler).

"How John and I Brought up the Child" ((Grinnell).

"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" (Stevenson).

A. T. MILLS HEADS DENNIS FATHERS

Plans Made for Christmas Entertainment Dec. 23.

Prof. A. T. Mills is president of the Dennis school Fathers' club as a result of the annual election of the club Thursday evening. E. M. Crawford was chosen secretary

Plans were made for an annual Christmas entertainment to be given Dec. 23, at which time there will be a Christmas tree and Santa Claus for the children. Treats also will be given.

CANVASSING CITY FOR NEW DIRECTORY

All Outside Work To Be Done By Jan. 1.

Work of canvassing the city for a name census for the 1925 city directory is under way under the management of L. H. Secor of the McCoy Directory Co., of Rockford which is again compiling the book. The Review Printing & Stationery company will publish the volume.

With a crew of eight canvassers in the field, Mr. Secor hopes to have all of the outside work completed by the first of January. Then will come weeks of work in compilation before the copy is ready to go to the publishers.

EARL C. RODMAN BURIED IN DELAND

Deland, Dec. 12—The body of Earl Rodman was [illegible] to Deland Thursday afternoon from Tuscola, and was taken to his parents' home, where funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Owing to the [illegible] ical condition of the father [illegible] brief services were held. Rev. R. I. [illegible] the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church officiated, and a mixed quartet from the church sang. The quartet was composed of Messrs. D. H. Troxell, [illegible] Mrs. F. C. Loweth and Mrs. [illegible]

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I'll Dress You Up for Christmas on Easy Credit!

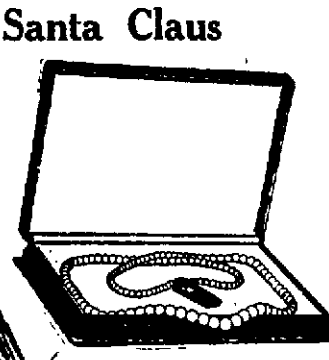
I want every Man and Woman in Decatur to dress up for Christmas with an entire new outfit! Easy credit at my store will make it possible for you to wear the finest clothes this Christmas—and $5 down is all you need pay! There are hundreds of new Suits, Overcoats, Dresses and Fur Trimmed Coats in my stock to choose from—all on easy credit! Come in—buy your entire outfit for Christmas right now! Henry Hart.

$5 DOWN BUYS YOUR COMPLETE OUTFIT

Get Your Gift Now!
I want every Man and woman in the city to get one of these Gifts for Christmas! Come in—GET YOUR GIFT NOW!

SATURDAY SPECIAL
Girls' Coats—Sizes 1 to 12 — Regular $12.50 Coats $8.95
Boys' All-wool Mackinaws, useful Christmas Gifts $8.95

Let Me Be Your Santa Claus



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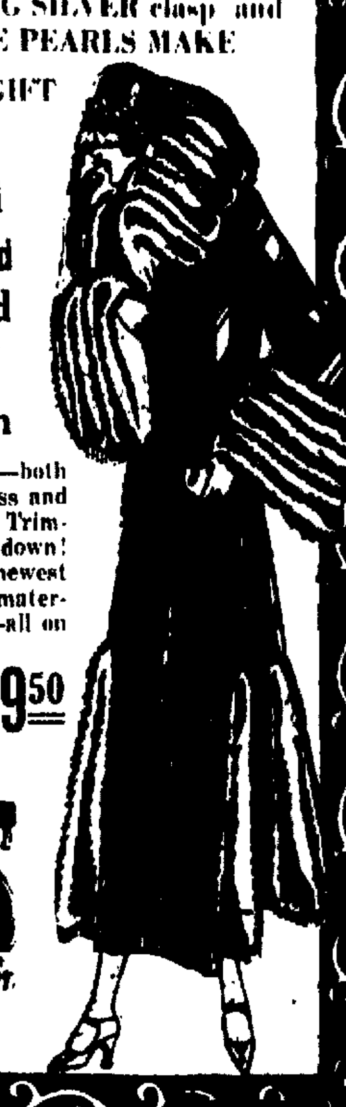

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Every Wanted Style—All New Fall and Winter Patterns

—Black Kid and Patent Arch Support Oxfords
—Patent Straps
—Patent Cut-Out Straps
—Kid or Patent Oxfords
—Fancy Satin Straps

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—Dixie Ties in Patent, Black or Tan Calfskin.
—Patent Opera Pumps
—Fancy Black Suede Straps.
—All sizes and all heels.

LOW PRICES ON CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS

Women's Slippers

Choice of 10 colors—Ribbon Trimmed—with silk Pom Pom 75c

Men's Felt Slippers

In grey, brown and tan—chrome soles 90c

Men's Leather Slippers

Light weight kid, black or brown—up from $1.50

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"Buster Brown" Shoes for Boys and Girls

Dangerous Love

A bewitchingly beautiful girl, Anna had no end of admirers, but she did not dream she could fall in love with another woman's husband—her sister's husband least of all. Yet there came a time when, living under the same roof with them, she found herself drifting into an affair that taxed her powers of resistance to the limit.

How, with gradually weakening strength, she fought against this growing passion, and the stress of circumstances that forced matters to a climax, is a drama of human emotions that will hold you enthralled. Anna tells her story under the title of "A Soul for Sale"—one of the many remarkable features in the January True Story Magazine. Buy it at any newsstand today.

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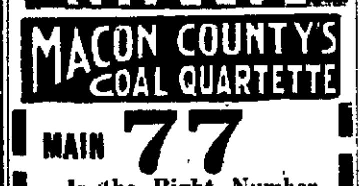

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SOCIAL NEWS

OVELTY REVUE TO BE GIVEN BY MUSIC COLLEGE

Plans are under way for a dance novelty revue to be given by the catur Musical College at the Emss theater between the Christmas d the New Year time. The name of production is "The Punch Bowl." ..n idea was obtained from a simir revue which Miss Annetta Van ke, instructor in dancing at the catur Musical College, viewed in ndon while on her European tr p t summer.

There will be other features which .l afford much interest along vars lines of entertainment the exact ture of which is not as yet anunced

rom time to time the Decatur isical College has given dance ductions at the local theaters and s received favorable comment on revues but this promises to be largest and best of the entertainnts ever given by the college.

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Mr and Mrs. C. C. LeForgee are ving Friday for Chicago where y will ... the week-end

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... Howells has as her ... guest Miss Anna Grinnell of ... over the week-end ... Howells will also have as her est Mrs. Jean Shephard of Jackrville

Miss Dorothy Drennan, who attends Oberlin college at Oberlin, O. will leave Oberlin next Friday for Chicago where she will visit for a day or two her room mate, Miss Ruth Schlenker From Chicago she will come on to Decatur to pass the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs Winifred P Drennan.

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NEWCOMERS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

At the last meeting of the year for the Newcomers Auxiliary Club held Thursday in the home of Mrs C. E. Reidt, West Eldorado street, officers for the coming year were elected as follows

President—Mrs. C. E. Reidt

Secretary—Mrs. George Jones

Treasurer—Miss Margaret Barnes

The out-going officers were Mrs. E. J Howells, president and Mrs Charles Leas, secretary, both of whom were the first officers of the Newcomers Club which has been organized about one year

Mrs. E. C. Keifer was assistant hostess. Several new members were admitted to membership.

Plans were made at the business meeting for a banquet to be held for the Newcomers Club and the auxiliary in the Staley club house, Jan 2

Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock Thursday, covers being laid for forty-five women The house decorations and the table decorations were in keeping with the Christmas season Beautifully decorated trees with electric lights and candles of various hues burning were placed about the house. Mrs Reidt is taking one of the large decorated Christmas trees to a worthy Decatur organization to cheer it during the holiday time.

Each woman brought a fifty cent gift to the party and a Christmas exchange was held Gifts for the children of the Decatur Day Nursery were also brought to the party and will be distributed to the children During the afternoon, lollypops were dressed in crepe paper of bright colors by the women. They will be given the Day Nursery.

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Mrs Josephine McClintock, who has been traveling through California, and Texas, is visiting her sisters, Mrs C. A. Shaffer, Mrs. Laura Brockway, and Mrs. Mary A Millspaugh, all of Decatur She expects to spend the winter in this city

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Mrs. Marshall Enock, of Indianapolis, Ind., who has been visiting with Mrs. Mary A. Millspaugh and Miss Emma Millspaugh, returned to her home Monday afternoon.

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Honoring Miss Jane Conklin, bride-elect of Wilson M Bering, Jr., Mrs. John F. Allen will entertain several guests in her home Saturday afternoon at bridge.

On Thursday evening, Mrs Herbert England was hostess to the bride-to-be's friends in her home.

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The annual Christmas party and election of officers of the White Carnation club were held at the home of Mrs. O H Brohard, 532 East Center street, Thursday afternoon The house was decorated in keeping with Christmas and the guests received presents from the Christmas tree. After the business session, in which Mrs. Dan Quinn was elected president and Mrs. Mary Mason secretary-treasurer, the guests were entertained with a music program, and a dainty two course lunch was served to twenty members and three guests the latter being Mildred Kruse, Mabel Winings and Mrs. Edith Bowman The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Dan Quinn, Mrs. Nellie Kruse and Mrs Lillian Mulkey.

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The Unity Pinochle club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Richard Campion, 1215 East Main street, with three tables at play. First prize went to Mrs. DeSouza, second, Mrs Kersey, and third, Mrs. Drohn A two-course luncheon was served The next meeting will be in four weeks with Mrs. Frank Tarr.

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Mrs. George Sandon, 1420 East Wood street, entertained the Good Natured club Thursday night with three tables of five hundred at play First prize in the woman's play went to Mrs. John Hebenstreit with first prize for men going to Joseph Duter and consolation to Mrs Mary Ward A three-course luncheon was served The next meeting will be with Mrs Mary Ward after New Years.

THE SMILE OF HEALTH

This baby, born of tubercular parents, is a prized item of health propaganda for the National Tuberculosis Association's sale of Christmas seals. Stamps are going to give him a chance in life worthy of his smile.

Church Notes

Surprise Choir

Group four of the Westminster church surprised members of the choir and the director Marthin C Provensen, after rehearsal Thursday evening with a luncheon being served in the Fellowship room of the church.

The choir is rehearsing special Christmas music each week for the Christmas program to be given Sunday evening, Dec 21, in the church auditorium

First U. B. Cradle Roll

Rev. and Mrs W H. Arbogast entertained the Cradle Roll of the First United Brethren church with a Christmas party Thursday afternoon. They had a beautifully decorated Christmas tree for the children, and each child was given a present and a stocking full of candy

Following the short business meeting, the mothers were asked to suggest a name for the Cradle Roll superintendent, as Mrs. D R Morris the present superintendent, is leaving the city Mrs Fred Conard was suggested, with Mrs Robert Lambert as her assistant. These names will be presented to the Sunday school board next Sunday for final action

Two birthdays were observed at the meeting, Norman Keith Brett was two years of age, and Richard English Gifton, one year old

The short program consisted of a piano solo by Mrs George Bopp who played "The Holy City", a story by Mrs. Stiller, song, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" Mrs. J W Jacobs Mrs T B. Reddix and Mrs D. R. Morris short reading Mrs. Stiller, "Silent Night" by the trio Virginia Bopp, Lloyd Reddix and Jean Conard recited Christmas selections

Mrs. Arbogast and Mrs Homer Vandervort served delicious refreshments

Twelve visitors eighteen mothers and twenty-eight babies were present

Grace Methodist Ladies' Aid.

Twenty-two members of the Ladies' Aid of the Grace Methodist church met Thursday afternoon in the parlors in the church. Mrs Frances Stouffer presided. Mrs Charles McCarter led the devotions. The sum of $2 was paid in dues. The Sunshine fund received eighty-eight cents. Refreshments were served by Mrs. H A Georges Mrs Laura Hale Mrs H. Hamm, Mrs. J Hoots and Mrs I J. Glosser

Gleaners' Society.

The Gleaners' Society of the Seventh Street Christian church will have a bazaar and candy sale Saturday in the Augustine and Oplinger shop. Practical things as well as fancy articles will be for sale

MRS. COOLIDGE IS DOCTOR OF LAWS

President's Wife Honored By Boston U.

Boston, Dec. 12—Mrs. Calvin Coolidge and Dr. Marian Talbot, dean of women at the University of Chicago received the degree of Doctor of Laws today from Boston University at the induction of Mrs. Lucy Jenkins Franklin as dean of women In conferring the degrees President Murlin characterized the recipients as follows:

"Grace Goodhue Coolidge—student, university graduate, teacher, daughter, wife, mother; in every station exemplifying the finer qualities of mind and heart we most admire in women, your own works praise you, you have gained the confidence, admiration and love of the American people

"Marian Talbot—daughter of pioneers in educational progress, graduate and post-graduate of Boston University; distinguished as student teacher, author, administrator; by example and precept a persuasive and effective influence in broadening and enriching educational opportunities for the young women of America"

MARRIED.

SHARP-PAPINEAU.

John H. Sharp and Mamie M Papineau, both of Peoria, were married in Decatur Thursday afternoon the ceremony being performed at 5 o'clock by Judge J H. McCoy at the court house.

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CHRISTIAN CO. WOMAN EXPIRES

Mother of Nokomis Bank Cashier.

Nokomis, Dec 12.—Mrs. Frank Bald, wife of a prominent farmer residing in Greenwood township Christian county, seven miles north of Nokomis, died at her home Wednesday evening at 10 30 o'clock, after an illness of several months Deceased was aged sixty-five years and is survived by her husband, two sons and five daughters She was the mother of William F Bald, cashier of the Nokomis National bank.

The funeral will be conducted at the South Fork German Methodist Episcopal church Saturday morning Dec. 13 at 11 o clock by Rev. W. L Nagel, the pastor. Burial will be at the Kettelkamp cemetery in Greenwood township

GIRL DIES IN HOSPITAL

Following an acute attack of appendicitis, Sarah C. McQuisston, fourteen-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. James McQuisston, well-known people of Nokomis, passed away at the Huber Memorial hospital at Pana at 7 20 o clock Thursday morning Both parents and two brothers survive the deceased.

WOMEN NAME OFFICERS

The ladies' auxiliary of the Waples-Bauer post, No 94, of the American Legion of Nokomis held its regular meeting at the rooms of the Legion post Wednesday evening Dec. 10 The annual election of officers was held at the meeting and the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year. President, Mrs David Baird Jr; first vice president, Mrs. James Willis; second vice president Mrs Elmer Wilson, treasurer Mrs Emil B. Wells

After the business had been disposed of the ladies' auxiliary tendered a banquet to all the members of the American Legion post of Nokomis A large number of the Legionnaires, with their wives, were in attendance at the meeting and banquet.

4 HORSES AND COW BURN NEAR BEMENT

Horace Tucker's Barn Set On Fire by Lightning.

Bement, Dec 12—Fire, caused by lightning, totally destroyed a barn on Horace Tucker's farm Sunday night Nothing was saved Four horses and one cow perished in the flames Twenty-five tons of clover hay and 700 bushels of oats were destroyed.

The barn was across the road and about a quarter of a mile from where Mr Tucker and family lived, on the Priestley farm

Mr Tucker carried insurance, but not enough to cover the loss.

BAZAAR.

The ladies of the Christian church will have their bazaar and supper Saturday, Dec 13, in the basement of the church. The bazaar will open at one o'clock Fancy work, home-made rugs, aprons and other articles will be on sale The candy booth will be in charge of the Christian Endeavor society

Supper will be served at five o'clock The menu Chicken pie mashed potatoes, baked beans, sweet potatoes, gravy, slaw, jelly, pickles pie bread and coffee.

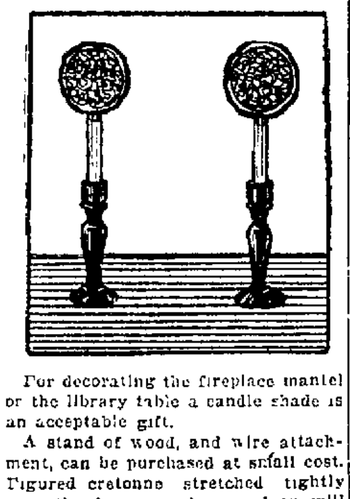
G C Carpenter of Bloomington, Ind is visiting at D. H. Muthersbough s

Mr and Mrs W. N Grubbs of Decatur were guests of Mr and Mrs H Krause last Saturday Mrs Grubbs is their niece

Mrs C. J Adams who has had the grip, is improving in health

On Friday, Dec. 19, A L. Hawver will offer at public sale on the Isaac Hawver farm, near Milmine, the Arb Taylor property of horses, cattle, shoats and farm machinery. The sale will commence at 10 o clock a. m

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. CANDLE SHADE



For decorating the fireplace mantel or the library table a candle shade is an acceptable gift.

A stand of wood, and wire attachment, can be purchased at small cost. Figured cretonne stretched tightly over the frame and sewed on will make the shade. Give it a coat of shellac for preservation, and a quarter-inch gold braid ribbon sewed around the edges will add tone.

ARTIFICIAL CROPS OF OYSTERS, NEXT

New York—The result of experiments by the New York State Conservation Commission to improve the size and quality of the State's oyster crop by artificial propagation was told by William Firth Wells, biologist and sanitarian of the Conservation Commission, in a radio talk from WGY, General Electric Company, Schenectady, recently. Although the oyster industry is New York's most valuable fishery it has been declining for many years because of inability to get a "set" of young oysters with any degree of certainty.

CULTIVATED CROP

"Few are aware that oysters are a cultivated crop—that it takes several Summers to make one swallow," said Mr. Wells. "The acres of carefully tended oyster farms are not visible under blue fathoms of sea water and unless one has seen dredge boats piled high with thousands of bushels of this delicate product, his curiosity is unlikely to be aroused further than as to different ways of eating them. It may then come as a surprise to learn that oyster culture is more like farming than fishing.

"Seventy thousand acres of land, cultivated under water, bring to harvest New York's most valuable sea crop. All this ground is plowed and harrowed, planted and transplanted, cultivated and harvested. The relationship of the oyster dredge to the plow, the cultivator and the harvester, may seem distant, and truly the cultivation of animals in much the manner of plants appears strange; yet the oyster grower is a real planter.

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LA FAYETTE VISITED U. S. 100 YEARS AGO

French Hero and Son Were Honored.

New York.—One hundred years have passed since General Lafayette landed at the Battery on his famous visit and tour of the United States A few days after his arrival, the General and his son, George Washington Lafayette, were made honorary members of the New York Historical Society

It is interesting to turn back to the records of the society at that time and read the account of what happened. The induction of the General, republished from the minutes is described in the last quarterly bulletin of the society

WELCOMING SPEECH

"In the name of this institution," said Dr. David Hosack in a welcoming address, "I tender to you their congratulations upon your safe arrival, which affords you the opportunity to witness the happy condition of that country in whose behalf the sword of your youth was drawn and personally to hear your testimony to the blessings which have followed the achievements that have been accomplished by the united efforts of a Washington and his comrades in arms.

"General my bosom glows at the associations which these eve ts bring to our recollection, and every heart in this assembly throbs with inexpressible emotions at the sight of the hero who this day enters their hall and confers a lasting honor upon the sittings of the society. Long, long, sir, may you live to enjoy the homage so justly due and spontaneously offered from the hearts of a free and grateful people for the services you have rendered to this nation, to the world, to liberty, and to the ever memorable establishment of the only example on earth of a pure, unmixed republican form of government."

LA FAYETTE'S REPLY

To this General LaFayette replied "With the most lively gratitude I receive the honor which the Historical Society of New York has conferred by electing me one of their members.

"Permit me, also thankfully to acknowledge the flattering manner in which you are pleased to acknowledge this mark of their benevolence ... United States, sir, is the first ... on the records of History ... founded their Constitution ... honest investigation and clear definition of their natural and social rights. Nor can we doubt that ... withstanding the combinations ... elsewhere by despotism and ... racy against those sacred rights ... mankind however majority ... ... shall ... to value ... ... their ... and ... fre... ...

SULPHUR CLEARS SKIN RIGHT UP

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins at once to soothe irritated skin and heal eruptions such as rash, pimples and ring worm

It seldom fails to remove the torment and disfigurement, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream

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Ladies' very fine quality pure thread silk hose, semi-fashioned, black only $1.50 value, slightly substandard, no holes, no runners—Saturday special, pair 69c

Another shipment ladies, Regular $1.00 wool sport hose, brown and gray, pair .. 39c

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Regular $1.50 heavy quality 66x80 Sheet Blankets, each only $1.00

Regular $4.50 fine heavy weight full size wool nap Blankets (best quality Wool Nap pair $3.50

Other Big Saturday Specials

Regular $3.00 and $3.50, all wool 54-inch French Flannels, plain and stripes, yard $1.89

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Regular $3.00 Satin Canton Crepe, all pure, silk black only, yard $1.95

Regular $2.50 Satin Charmeuse, heavy quality, black only, yard $1.59

Regular 25c and 29c Domestic Dress Ginghams 32 inches wide, yard 16c

Regular 45c 36-inch printed Flannelette, pretty new patterns, yard 29c

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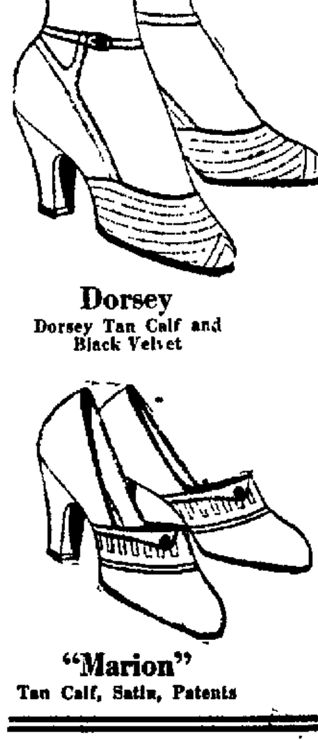

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TENDER SUPT. $3,000 CONTRACT

Want E. D. Walters to Stay With Atwood School.

Atwood, Dec 12—L D Walters has been tendered a contract as superintendent of the Atwood township high school for two years ... present school year at a salary of ... year.

Alfred Strohl ... now agent in ... for the Heberling ... Medicine Co.

Atwood high school will play the ... here Friday at the high ... of gym ...

Henry Shonkwiler has ... from California.

... Saturday night ... This ... very interesting ...

... Wednesday ...

... went to the ...

... bakery ...

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING

... meeting of the Atwood Commercial ... was held in ... the Odd Fellows Hall Monday night. Luncheon ...

MRS. SUSIE WILSON, AGED 80, IS DEAD

Had Been Resident of Decatur for Forty Years

Mrs. Susie Wilson, widow of Henry Wilson, died ... home of her daughter, Mrs. George Bobb ... North ... street at ... o'clock Thursday morning after an illness of long duration ... was caused by ... infirmities of age.

Mrs Wilson was born in Clark county, Ill Feb 14 1844, and was eighty years of age at the time of her death.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs George Bobb two sons, William L Wilson of Decatur and James L Wilson of Mt Zion and one grandson.

Mrs Wilson was a resident of Decatur for forty years and during the last ten months had lived with her daughter Mrs Bobb.

Her body was removed to the Monson chapel and prepared for burial. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Monson's chapel.

TAYLORVILLE MAN IS ELECTROCUTED

W. Van Hoosier Meets Death in Langley Mine.

Taylorville Dec 12—Walter Van Hoosier fifty resident of the City Park addition was electrocuted at ... Thursday evening while at work in Peabody mine No 9 at Langley. The coroner is holding an inquest.

Mr Van Hoosier was born at Tel... Ill Aug 1. 1870 and in 189.. was married to Miss Ida Cook who with the following children survives him Mrs Della McKinney Mrs Ruth Mason Walter Gerald and Frances Van Hoosier all of this city. He also leaves his mother and the following named brothers and sisters Frank Van Hoosier of Springfield Fran is Van Hoosier of Kincaid Joe William Paul and Herbert Van Hoosier and Mrs Emma Petroski all of Taylorville and Mrs Edith Puby of Atwood.

Mr Van Hoosier was a member of the Christian church and of the Modern Woodmen of America.

STONEHAM TO BE PARTNER IN SUIT

New York Dec 12—Federal Judge Hand today granted a motion to include Charles A Stoneham part owner of the New York Giants, as a defendant partner in the bankrupt stock brokerage firm of E M Fuller and company convicted bucketeers.

"Make Your Own Christmas Presents"—No. 7.

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Odds and ends of silk and fancy ... you have left from your other Christmas sewing ... be utilized very economically ... in ... fancy bags.

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Besides the simpler models to be used ... you can mount them on top of silver ... or ... and duplicate the very expensive bags you see in the shops.

Many prefer to make the bottom part and have it mounted by a professional at the shop where the top is purchased but it is quite possible to mount it yourself if you are a clever seamstress.

These bags are to be carried on the street must be well ... and perfectly finished on the inside as well as the out. They should be equipped with two pockets for holding the change purse and the mirror and if you wish to make the gift very elegant you will equip it with these accessories, covered to match the bag and possibly with a silver pencil and a lipstick as well.

Velvet satin moire tapestry ... fancy brocaded ribbons may be used for the outside and taffeta or satin in a delicate shade may be used for the lining. If you use a tiny row of French flowers following the mounting, and covering the stitches on the underside you will add a ... sional touch.

All varieties ... used round ... or square. The ... several suggestions ... for decorations.

Burlap or grass ... colors ... trimmed with ... very ... bags. The ... particularly good ... since it is very ...

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CHRISTMAS CANDY.

FONDANT

Two cups granulated sugar ⅛ teaspoon cream of tartar ... cup water.

Put sugar and cream of tartar into a perfectly smooth sauce pan. Stir well and add water. Stir until well mixed and let stand a few minutes until the sugar melts. Put over a low fire and bring slowly to the boiling point. Watch carefully that sugar does not burn on the bottom of the pan.

Have a pan of cold water close to the pan of sirup. As crystals form on the sides of the pan wipe them off with a piece of cloth dipped in the pan of cold water. Dip frequently into the pan of cold water and swab few crystals at a time. Continue this until the sides are clear.

Cover and let boil rapidly for two minutes. Remove cover and swab off crystals. Boil uncovered until a few drops tried in a saucer of cold water form a soft ball when picked up with fingers. Remove instantly from the fire and put the pan into a larger pan of cold water. Let stand until cool and beat with a wooden spoon until creamy. When too stiff to stir turn onto a large platter and knead until soft. Put into an oiled bowl cover tightly and let stand twenty four hours. Then flavor and use as wanted.

STACEY'S SISTER WILL HELP HIM

Mrs. Minnie Busam Writes to Sheriff Underwood.

Mrs Minnie Busam of Louisville Ky, has written to Sheriff Underwood stating that she expects to come to Decatur when her brother, John Stacey is brought ... for the murder of Hymer Lubenstein. She said that Stacey is simple and shovel ... and has been a wanderer since he was fifteen years old.

Stacey has told his attorney W J Carey that he attended school about one month out of a year for several years. He can neither read nor write except to sign his name. He is about fifty years old.

LAKE CITY

Mr and Mrs ... were guests of Mr and Mrs Will ...

Miss ... Dickson visited Mrs Opal ... at Lovington Monday.

Mr and Mrs ... spent the first of the week ... through husking corn.

Mr and Mrs ... were Decatur visitors ...

Mrs Elmer Hamm ... and Mrs ... near Lovington several days this week.

Mrs ... was a Decatur shopper Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs W H Myers and son of near Effingham spent the latter part of the week with ... and family and other friends.

Mrs Will Baker who has been suffering from diabetes for some time does not improve any.

Mrs Charlotte Vansickle of Sullivan was a caller here Wednesday.

Mrs Will Sinclair of Arthur visited relatives here Monday.

Mr and Mrs John Y Bailey of near Lovington visited Will Baker and family Sunday.

Mrs Leroy Baker and daughter Helen spent several days at Sullivan with James Finch and family.

Hubert Howell of Findlay was a visitor here Thursday.

Mrs T J Brooks of Sullivan visited Mr and Mrs Earl Cook the latter part of the week.

CITY ADVERTISING

FINAL SPECIAL TAX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur Illinois having let the contract for the construction of the local improvement of the roadway of East Locust street from the end of the present pavement at the west line of Polk street produced south east to the east line of the west half of the northwest quarter of Section 12 Township 16 North Range 2 east of the third principal meridian, lying within the limits of said city for the full width of fourteen feet between the south line of the pavement herein provided for (being the center line of said East Locust street and being also the present line of the limits of said city) and the line of the curb of said improvement to be constructed on a line fourteen feet north of and parallel to the south line of said improvement by excavating grading and preparing sub-grade, by placing thereon a Portland cement concrete foundation five inches in thickness consisting of one part Portland cement three parts clean sharp coarse sand and six parts of clean washed stone or gravel together with sufficient water to produce a mixture of such consistency that when struck off with a template it will hold its shape by placing thereon an asphaltic binder 1½ inches in thickness with a wearing surface consisting of sheet asphalt 1½ inches in thickness the necessary combination curb and gutter the necessary grading of all parkings all complete in place in the City of Decatur Illinois.

And the same having been completed and accepted by said Board of Local Improvements on the eleventh day of December A D 1924 and said Board having filed in the County Court of Macon County Illinois on the eleventh day of December A D 1924 a certificate showing that the said improvement conforms substantially, to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same the costs thereof the amount estimated by them to be required to pay accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate collection of the special tax for said improvement a hearing will be had on said certificate as to the truth of the facts stated therein at the County Court room in the Court House in the City of Decatur Illinois on the twenty-seventh day of December A D 1924, at ten o clock A M or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur Illinois this eleventh day of December A D 1924

ELMER R ELDER Mayor,
PHILIP KAYSER
ARTHUR L McNABB,
TOM W PIFNER
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$4.85 Tan or Black Dixie Ties $2.85
Women's Patent and Brown Oxfords $1.98

Men's Elkhide Work Shoes $2.69 All Leather All Sizes

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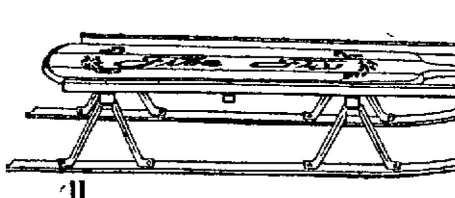

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Oranges and Apples In Greater Demand

Holiday Season Trade Seen in Kitchen Market Stores —Rabbits Scarce.

Christmas trade in the Decatur groceries is beginning to be lively. Oranges, apples, grapes and other fruits and candies are selling especially well.

The oranges are getting much nicer. The California naval oranges are riper and sweeter and will be fine for Christmas.

Apples are getting scarcer, and consequently are going higher in price. Because of the late season here the apples were of poor quality, and a great many orchard owners did not even pack their apples. Most of them are coming from the western orchards.

RABBITS SCARCE.

Rabbits are very scarce, and merchants say that they can not possibly supply the demand. They are selling for from thirty-five to forty-five cents a pound.

Meat trade has been good during the cool weather, and beef seems to be selling better than pork. Pork is not coming in from the farms as yet, as the farmers are just butchering what they need for themselves.

EGGS STEADY.

Eggs are about the same, with a small drop. They are selling in some places for sixty-one cents a dozen.

Lobsters have been out of the market for some time now. Oysters have been selling fairly well, but nothing out of the ordinary, for from forty to fifty cents a pint. Crappie has gone up to thirty cents per pound.

Prices for Christmas turkeys have not been received, but they probably will sell about the same as at Thanksgiving.

VEGETABLES.

Beets—3c to 5c pound.
Beans, Green—30c pound.
Cabbage—3c pound.
Celery—5c to 15c bunch.
Celery cabbage—10c and 12½c pound.
Cauliflower—25c to 40c each.
Egg Plant—20c to 40c each.
Cucumbers—10c each.
Head Lettuce—10c to 20c head
Leaf Lettuce—20c to 25c pound.
Mangoes—5c each.
Mangoes—10c and 15c dozen.
Onions, Red—4c and 5c pound
Onions, White—6c pound.
Spinach—15c to 18c pound.
Spanish onions—5c and 6c each.
Potatoes—25c peck.
Green Peas—35c pound.
Sweet Potatoes—10c and 12c pound.
Rutabagas—5c.
Tomatoes—25c pound

FRUITS.

Apples—7c and 10c pound.
Jonathans—$1.00 $2.50 bushel.
Grimes Golden—$1.60 to $2.50 bushel.
Delicious—$1.60 to $2.50 bushel.
Bananas—12c pound.
Oranges—33c to 60c dozen.
Grapefruit—7½c to 15c each.
Kumquats—35c quart.
Lemons—40 and 50c dozen.
Limes—20c dozen.
Cranberries—15c and 20c pound.
Quinces—60c dozen.
Grapes, Concord—30c basket.
Grapes, California—15c to 20c pound.
Pears—5c each.

POULTRY.

Chickens, Hens—35c to 38c, full dressed.
Chicken Fries—38c and 40c pound
Butter, Country—52c to 55c pound.
Butter, Creamery—52c to 55c pound.
Eggs, Fresh—51c to 60c pound.
Eggs, Storage—40c dozen.

CHEESE.

American Club Cream—12c pound.
Nippy—15c package.
Imported Swiss—70c pound.
Edam Cheese—$2.85 pound.
Roquefort—$1.25 pound.
Holland Edam—75c to $2 pound.
Limberger—40c pound.
New York Cream—40c pound.
Breakstone's New York Cream—50c pound
Philadelphia Cream Cheese—15c package

MEATS.

Bacon—16c to 50c pound.
Ham, Smoked—10c to 32c pound.
Shoulder, Round—22c and 26c.
Shoulder, Smoked—15c to 18c pound.
Round Steak—38c and 35c pound.
Rolling Beef—8c to 30c, as where cut
Porterhouse Steak—30c to 50c pound.
Rib Roast—25c and 32c pound.
Shoulder Steak—25c to 35c pound.
Flank Steak—25c to 40c pound.
Loin Steak—28c to 48c pound.
Pork Steak—25c to 34c pound.
Pork Chops—28c to 34c pound.
Fresh Ham Roast—23c.
Loin Pork Roast—20c to 27c pound.
Shoulder Roast—20c and 22c.
Beef Shoulder Roast—20c pound.
Short Cut Steaks—35c to 50c pound.
Baked ham—50c to 70c lb.
Rabbits—35c to 45c pound.

FISH.

Lake Trout—20c pound.
White fish—35c pound.
Crappies—30c pound.
Channel Cat—35c pound.
Halibut—40c pound.
Carp—20c pound.
Yellow Perch—20c round, 25c dressed.
Fresh Shrimp—45c pound.
Salt Mackerel—20c to 60c each.
Holland Herring—20c pound.
Fresh Mackerel—30c pound.
White Fish—30c pound.
Sunfish—25c pound
Buffalo—20c pound.
White Perch—25c pound.
Spanish Mackerel—35c pound.
Salmon—30c pound.
Ciscoes—20c pound.
Pike—30c pound.
Oysters—40c, 45c, 50c pint.
Flounders—30c pound.
Scallops—75c pint.

Church Calendar

SATURDAY.

The younger girls, candidates for the Girls' Friendly society of St. John's Episcopal church, will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

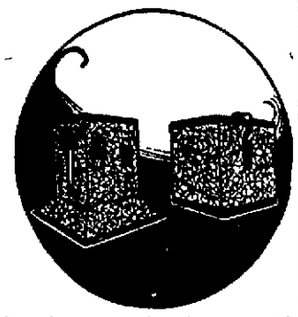
The Home Guards of Grace Methodist church will have a Christmas party Saturday afternoon at 2:30 in the church. All children between the ages of ten and fourteen who are interested in becoming members are invited.

The cathechetical class of the English Lutheran church will meet Saturday morning.

The Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian church will have a bakery and candy sale beginning at 9:30 Saturday morning in the Cash Meat Market on Merchant street. Salads also will be for sale.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Sewing Box



Two boxes, one just large enough to fit inside the other, are needed to make a sewing box, an excellent Christmas gift. Remove top and bottom of each box, discarding top and bottom of smaller one. Cover all surfaces, inside and out, with ribbon, applied with glue. Attach inner box to bottom of larger one. Grosgrain ribbon can be used to make little racks for holding necessary appurtenances of sewing. Finish edges with plain binding ribbon and decorate lid with chenille tassel.

CHRISTMAS CANDY.

Peanut Macaroons

These little confections will be very welcome in a Christmas box or on the tea table.

One egg (white), 5 tablespoons granulated sugar, 5 tablespoons finely chopped peanuts, few grains salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

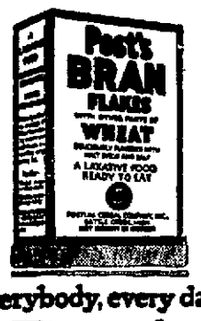
Beat white of egg until stiff with 1 teaspoon cold water. Slowly add sugar, beating constantly. Shell and remove skins from peanuts. Put through the food chopper. Add to egg mixture with salt and vanilla. Drop from a teaspoon onto a buttered baking sheet and bake 15 minutes in a slow oven.

ANNA C. SCHWARTZ DISCUSSES LACE

Speaks Before Business And Professional Women's Club.

Anna C. Schwartz, buyer for the lace department of Linn and Scruggs, gave an interesting talk to the members of the Business and Professional Women's club Wednesday evening, in a supper meeting at the Y. W. C. A. Miss Schwartz gave an interesting account of some of her experiences.

The meeting was to have been held last week, but was postponed because of the bad weather. A good number of women attended Wednesay evening.



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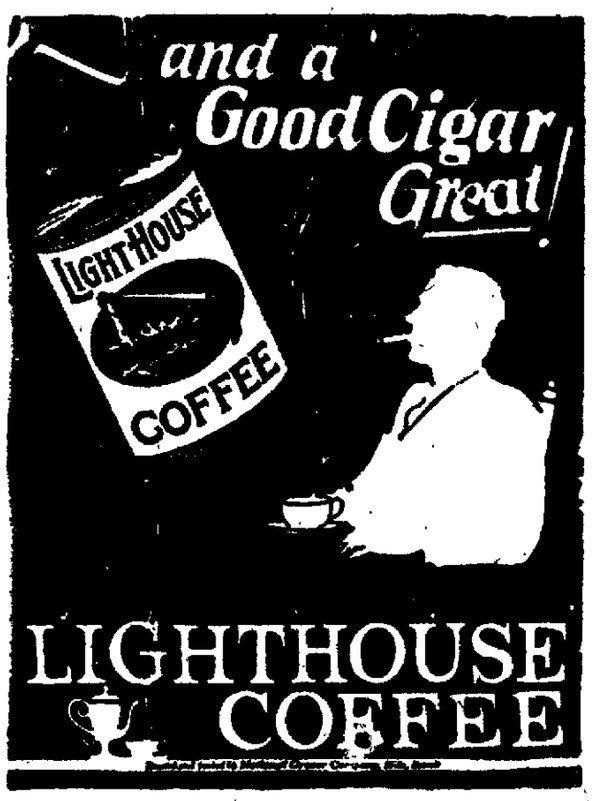
Beef Roast	12½c and 15c
Veal Chops	25c and 35c
Veal Roast	20c
Veal Stew	15c
ARMOUR STAR HAMS—SWIFT'S PREMIUM One-Half or whole	27c
ARMOUR STAR BACON—SWIFT'S PREMIUM One-Half or whole	35c
Bacon, by side or half side	22c and 24c

MILK BORDEN'S 3 tall cans, 25c By the dozen $1.00

LINIT 2 Pkgs. 10c

25 Bars P. & G. Soap	$1.00
10 Bars Ivory Soap	65c
25 Bars Maple City Soap	$1.00
3 Boxes Oxydol	25c



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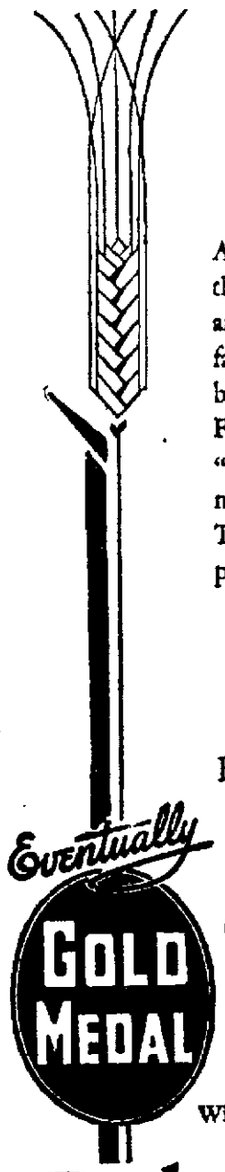

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Your Christmas Present Problem Solved for You

Is your Christmas list completed? If not here's help for you. The Review made a canvass to collect a few hints on Christmas shopping.

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Ch... it and take it with you on your shopping trip.

GIFTS FOR $2.

FOR MOTHER

Pair of kid gloves
Fancy neckwear
Embroidery scissors
... Hose
...
A ...

DAD OR BROTHER

Leather billbook
Silk gloves
Linen handkerchiefs
Pouch of tobacco
A shaving brush
Neckties
Plain shirt

FOR SISTER

Silk hosiery
Ribbon bracelet
A wool scarf
Novelty beads
Cash purse
Hand[k]erchiefs
Gold compact

FOR A HOME

Linen towels
Novelty dish
Sandwich tray
Ash trays
Potted fern
Three bath towels
Bread tray

GIFTS FOR $5

FOR MOTHER

Bedroom slippers
A work basket
Long kid gloves
Silk hosiery
Gold brooch
Umbrella
Leather purse
Sewing set

DAD OR BROTHER

Belt silver buckle
Smoking stand
Five pair silk socks
Safety razor
Leather billfold
Engraved penknife
Military brushes
Fountain pen

FOR SISTER

Indestructible beads
Knipper boots
Brooch bar-pin
Boudoir lamp
Umbrella
Beaded bag
Silk leather gloves
Box of candy

FOR HOME

Reading lamp
Silver pitcher
Silk pillows
Knives or forks
Card table
Candlesticks
China novelty dish
Telephone screen

GIFTS FOR $10.

FOR MOTHER

Dress material
Silk umbrella
A work table
Lounging robe
Sewing table
Night clock
Scissors set

DAD OR BROTHER

Leather vest
Lodge emblem
Cigar lighter
Box of cigars
Silk shirt
Gloves
Heavy scarf

FOR SISTER

Beaded bag
Toilet set
Perfume atomizer
Dress material
Small umbrella
Hair ornaments
Silk hosiery
Gold mesh bag

FOR A HOME

Silver candlesticks
Linen napkins
Wool blankets
Bridge lamp
Mantel clock
End table
Silver bread tray
Steamer robe

Aunt Jemima Prepared Buckwheat Flour Based on the famous Aunt Jemima recipe with just enough fine buckwheat flour added to give the flavor you long for. Ready mixed, simply add water (or milk), mix and bake. Try it. At your grocer's in the *yellow* Aunt Jemima package.

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Chocolate Creams, per pound	18c	Christmas Mix, per pound	15c
Shelled Raw Peanuts, lb.	25c	Shelled Hickory, Nuts	$1.00
Mixed Nuts, new crop, best grade, lb	25c	Shelled Pecan, pound	90c
Dipping Chocolate Sweet, per lb.	30c	Sugar, pure cane, 25 lb.	$1.95

Martha Washington Candies None-Better, per lb. 65c

Oranges, Bob White Florida's Best—dozen	45c	Sliced Orange and Lemon Peel, ¼ lb. pkg.	14c

Spring Chickens, Oysters, Fresh Country Sausage, Ribs and Bones

Household Suggestions

Wall Covering.

Oilcloth or enamel cloth may be used for wall covering and if well pasted makes a waterproof finish and is an excellent way to freshen the bathroom or kitchen walls. The tile effect in patterns is a good one to select.

For Flavoring.

Dried orange peel crushed into a coarse powder, can be used as a flavoring for puddings and sauces.

To Keep Lemons.

If you wish to keep lemons any length of time bury them in a box of ... They will keep for months.

HANDLING FISH.

As soon as fish is brought into the house it should be thoroughly washed and put on the ...

TO HOLD GRAVY

Brush the bottom crust of a meat pie with white of egg and the gravy will not soak through the crust.

Breakfast—Baked apples, finished oats, thin cream, hash, toast with poached eggs, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—Reheated lamb in potato border, steamed spinach, junket ice cream with chocolate sauce, whole wheat bread, milk, tea.

Dinner—Roast beef, hot horse radish sauce, mashed potatoes, parsnip fritters, quince salad, cheese crackers, bran rolls, milk, coffee.

Children under school age should be served a poached egg on toast without the hash for their breakfast but those who must go to school need the bulk and nourishment found in the good old combination of meat and potatoes.

Any meat can be used in the luncheon dish but since lamb was suggested for the dinner in the immediately preceding menu this dish is planned to use up the "left overs."

Children under school age, of course, will not eat the horseradish sauce with the dinner roast.

REHEATED LAMB IN POTATO BORDER

Two cups lamb cut in dice, 1 cup milk, 1 cup left-over gravy, 2 tablespoons butter, 1½ tablespoons flour, ½ teaspoon salt, few gratings nutmeg, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon mushroom catsup, 4 triangles of toast, 2 cups hot mashed potato, 1 tablespoon minced parsley.

Melt butter, stir in flour and slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Add left-over gravy and ... until smooth. Season with salt, pepper and nutmeg if desired and add meat cubes. Keep hot over boiling water.

Arrange hot mashed potatoes in a border on a hot platter, fill with meat mixture. Garnish meat with toast points and sprinkle potato with parsley.

To make a potato border butter a deep bowl and place it in the center of a hot platter. Pack hot mashed potatoes around the bowl, building the border about three inches high and about 1 inch thick. Remove bowl and fill with creamed meat.

CHOCOLATE SAUCE

Two cups water, ¾ cup sugar, 2 teaspoons cornstarch, 6 tablespoons grated chocolate, ⅛ teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Dilute cornstarch with ½ cup water. Put remaining water and sugar in sauce pan and bring to the boiling point. Boil five minutes. Melt chocolate with a few tablespoons of the boiling sirup and add cornstarch mixture. Stir into hot sirup, add salt and cook until thick and smooth. Remove from the fire and add vanilla. Serve warm.

PARAFFIN PAPER.

Paraffin paper is valuable to keep on hand for wrapping foods you want to remain moist, such as sandwiches, cakes, etc. It may also be used to line cake tins instead of greased paper.

Ladies' Auxiliary B of R. T.

Officers for the coming year were elected by the Ladies Auxiliary of the B. of R. T. at a meeting held at the ... Hall Wednesday afternoon. They are as follows:

President—Mrs. Edith Eckner
Vice president—Mrs. F. E. Bigg
Secretary—Mrs. Mattie Abbott
Treasurer—Mrs. Opal Cook
Conductress—Mrs. Edna Jordan
Chaplain—Mrs. Mae Kalips
Warden—Mrs. Nell Wilson
Inner guard—Sylvia Webber
Outer guard—Fannie Richardson
Medical examiner—Dr. Clare Garber.

Mrs. Mattie Abbott was chosen as delegate to the grand convention to be held in Cleveland next May. Mrs. Opal Cook is alternate.

BAZLEY CASH MARKET

3?? N. Main

Specials For Saturday

Sirloin or Short Steaks	15c
Boneless Beef Loin Roast	15c
Choice Tender Round Steak	16c
Fresh Tender Boiling Beef	5c
Fresh Tender Beef Pot Roast	6½c
Choice Chuck Roast	10c
Choice Round Roast	11c
Fresh Ground Beef	10c
Fresh Pork Shoulder Roast	13½c
Fresh Pork Butts, no waste	17½c
Fresh Country Sayle Sausage	16c
Fresh Whole Pork Shoulders	15½c
Creaery Butter	44c and 42c
Junedale Margarine, 2 pounds for	38c
Real Good Margarine, 2 pounds for	48c

FRESH LIVER	7c	BEST BACON	23c
FRESH HEARTS	9c	PICNIC HAMS	15c
FRESH OYSTERS, QUART	65c	SKINNED HAMS	19c

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Rider's Red Beans	8c	Supreme Tall Milk	8c

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Delaware No. 2 Tomatoes	9c	Snider's Tomato Soup	9c
Rider's Good Hominy	10c	Virginia Sweet Pancake Flour	10c

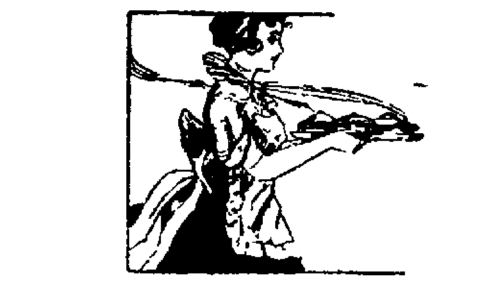
Big Loaf **MOTHER'S BREAD 7½c**

Del Monte De Luxe Plums	19c	Del Monte Pineapple	19c
Swansdown Cake Flour	29c	Pay-N-Tak-It Coffee	29c

Grocery Department

CHRISTMAS CANDIES AND NUTS

MIXED TAFFY	18c	MIXED NUTS	24c
HARD MIXED	20c	FILBERTS	24c
CHOCOLATES	20c	ALMONDS	29c
CHOC. SNAPS	33c	WALNUTS	33c
Candy Department		*Fruit Department*	



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ACCUSED MEN ARE ACQUITTED

Found Not Guilty of Murder of Christian County Man.

Taylorville, Dec. 12—Otis Owens and Thomas Graham, brothers-in-law, on trial at Taylorville for the last several days on a charge of murdering William "Cobb" Wallace, aged seventy years, were acquitted, the jury returning the verdict in open court at 11 o'clock Friday morning. The case went to the jury at 7:30 Thursday night, and a verdict was reached at midnight. Judge F. R. Dove had returned to his home at Shelbyville, however, and did not return to Taylorville until 11 o'clock Friday, when the report of the jury was received.

The death of Wallace, said to have been the result of blows received during a drinking bout near Jerseyville, occurred several months ago. Owens and Graham were given their liberty immediately following the report of the jury.

CONTRADICTS HIMSELF.

Owens took the stand in his own behalf Thursday afternoon. After he had partially shifted the blame onto the shoulders of his brother-in-law, Owens' story on the stand was battered to shreds by John E. Hogan, assistant prosecutor. Time after time Owens contradicted himself.

For an hour Owens unfolded the details of the party when the party went to Jerseyville and drank "moonshine." He substantiated the testimony of his wife, who stated she saw Wallace walk near the corn crib, where his watch and money were found later. This was offered to offset the finding of the watch and money, which the state alleges Graham and Owens took from Wallace's pockets.

RUSHED TO PAN'S AID.

While returning from Jerseyville in Wallace's buggy, Owens stated he was down the road and heard Graham and Wallace fighting. He grabbed his knife from his pocket and started to Graham's assistance, when he stumbled and fell, losing his knife.

Owens first testified he did not see Graham strike Wallace at any time. Later, when shown the statement made to E. E. Dowell, he changed his story and said that Graham struck Wallace, knocking him down. Wallace fell heavily, he said.

After saying that Wallace fell out of the buggy three times, Owens changed his story again when shown the statement, and said that he fell out of the buggy before the fight and then at the Owens' home after the encounter. He admitted under cross examination that Wallace was knocked unconscious by a blow, but stated that he never struck or hit Wallace with his fist or any weapon and never robbed the dead man.

ADMITTED LIE.

He admitted that he had lied to William Lewis, his employer, when he informed him "the next day that Wallace was dead." I was afraid they might accuse me," he stated to the state's attorney.

After stating that he took Wallace into the house when they returned home, he changed his story on cross examination and said that they left Wallace in the yard, where he fell out of the buggy.

WOMAN TESTIFIES.

One of the state's strongest points in its case against Owens and Graham was somewhat shaken when May Graham-Owens, wife and sister of the defendants, testified that she saw Wallace on the morning after the spree in which it is alleged he was injured, go to the corn crib at the Owens home and remain there for about ten minutes. It was in this crib that Wallace's watch and money were found a few days later by the sheriff and the link in the circumstance which caused the arrest of the two men.

Mrs. Owens said that she saw Wallace go to the crib alone and saw him leave the place alone while her husband was out in a pasture after the cows.

The defense believed this testimony would show that Wallace may have put the money in the box of the corn planter housed in the crib, himself and that Owens or Graham did not rob him.

REMODELED TENANT HOUSE IS BURNED

Clinton, Dec. 12—A tenant house on the farm of the Spicer heirs, located a mile north of Rowell was destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon, the blaze originating from a defective flue. It had but lately been remodeled.

The home was occupied by C. F. Kildred and was partly covered by insurance.

DIVORCE GRANTED.

Joseph Harris of Clinton was granted a divorce in circuit court Thursday from Pansy Harris. The couple was married in East St. Louis one year ago and separated last September.

SISTER DIES.

F. A. Jones of 322 East Webster street, left on the Diamond Special Friday morning for Toronto, Ontario, to attend funeral services of his sister, Mrs. Jennie Lilly, whose death occurred suddenly Thursday night. The telegram received failed to give the cause of her demise.

LONDON FOG LASTS FOR OVER 44 HRS.

London, Dec. 12—London got its first glimpse of daylight after forty-four hours of night early Thursday afternoon when the soupiest fog in many years thinned somewhat in patches. All England and Wales, however, is still crippled by the thick mist blanket.

SNOOZER DOG, 14, LONG ILL, DIES

Lived Most of His Life On Lincoln Square.

Snoozer Dog, known by many as "the dog that smokes," died Thursday evening at the home of his master, L. H. Schaniel, 103 East Main street. He was fourteen years of age.

Snoozer Dog was one of the best known dogs in Decatur, as he passed practically all of his life on Lincoln Square. He had become acquainted with many people because of his many tricks, one of which was carrying a lighted pipe or cigar in his mouth. However, Mr. Schaniel was always careful to plug the hole in the holder so that no smoke would get into the dog's lungs.

HAD MANY FRIENDS.

The dog also had made many friends at the barber shop of his master on the square. He liked to tussle with the newsboys who had their quarters on the square and was a great favorite of the baseball players who stayed at the St. Nicholas hotel.

Snoozer Dog also was a great help to his owner. He always carried the mail and papers from the front of the shop to the upstairs rooms, where Mr. Schaniel lived. He would carry house slippers, shoes and other things to the places where he was ordered to take them, seldom ever making a mistake. He did about all that could be done by an animal with only paws and mouth with which to do it.

The dog developed a disorder about a year ago which made it necessary to pull all his teeth. His death finally was caused by a complication of the infirmities of age and cancerous growths.

STRAY CARTRIDGE SHOOTS A FIREMAN

Strange Accident Occurs to Man Shoveling Coal.

Clinton, Dec. 12—Melvin Barton, a fireman employed on the Rantoul district of the Central was brought to Farmer City from Leroy late Thursday evening for medical treatment after having been injured in a most peculiar manner when in the discharge of his duties.

Shortly after leaving Farmer City on the west bound afternoon passenger train, Mr. Barton had the firebox door open and was shoveling coal into the engine when an explosion occurred and he fell to the deck. An examination disclosed the fact that he had been shot just above the right knee, evidently by a cartridge which had been dropped in the coal.

Farmer City physicians were unable to locate the ball and Barton was sent to the company hospital at Chicago, being accompanied by his wife.

CONDUCTOR INJURED.

W. A. Knight, a conductor employed on the Central suffered several fractured ribs when his train stopped suddenly near Forsyth Friday morning, caused by an air hose bursting.

Mr. Knight was taken to the office of Dr. Merriweather in Decatur and later brought to his home in Clinton where he will be confined to his bed for several days.

TAKEN TO STATE FARM.

William Wesley, a negro arrested by Sheriff Taylo last Wednesday as he was getting off a freight train with a gallon jug of white mule, was sentenced to sixty days at the state farm by Judge Bedinger Thursday. He was taken to his new home by Deputy Delmer Bryant Friday morning.

TEAL CASE STILL ON.

The Teal divorce case, started at the opening of court last Monday is still being argued, the jury not being released until ten o'clock on Thursday night and reconvening Friday noon. It is one in which many neighbors of the couple have been called in as character witnesses and to testify as to alleged abuse. Miss Martha Jones, one of the neighbors, and Mrs. Lottie Davidson, of Clinton, testified to having observed marks and bruises on the body of Mrs. Teal. Thirty-five witnesses have been interrogated up to the close Thursday night.

GRAND JURY CHOSEN.

Previous to the closing of the session of the Board of Supervisors on Wednesday the grand jury for the January term of court was chosen which includes the following:

Nixon—Guy Mawhinney.
Rutledge—C. W. Bishop.
Wilson—Wilbur Longbrake.
Wapella—Edward Powers, W. C. Ellis.
Barnett—Elmer Gelbach, Harry Mabie.
Piewitt—Roy Allen, Noble Dawson.
Creek—Ray Miller, Robert Armstrong.
Texas—Thomas Lancaster, Henry Rhea.
Tunbridge—Frank Stewart, Joseph Howard.
Waynesville—G. W. Kindig, Frank Marvel.
Harp—Walter Fuller, William Johnson.
Santa Anna—Curtis Swigart, Claude Reeser.
Clintonia—Orval Sprague, Dickerson Wood.

COAL CARS PILE UP AT CROSSING

Nokomis, Dec. 12—All the early west bound fast passenger trains on the Big Four, and Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroads were held up here on Thursday morning for several hours as a result of a wreck which occurred at 5 o'clock a. m., when a number of coal cars which were being switched to one of the mines jumped the track and piled up at the Cedar street crossing in this city. The new crossings which were just completed here last week, were entirely demolished. No lives were lost.

ILLINOIS GRANGE FOR CO-OP PLAN

Belleville, Ill., Dec. 12—A resolution approving a co-operative marketing system under federal supervision was adopted at the closing session here Thursday of the chief Illinois Grange convention.

ALIENISTS TO JOIN HIGHT DEFENSE

Insanity Defense—Blames Mrs. Sweetin.

Duquoin, Ill., Dec. 12.—The defense in the trial of Lawrence M. Hight, charged with murder by poison of his wife and Wilford Sweetin in an alleged conspiracy with Mrs. Elsie Sweetin in an alleged conspiracy with Mrs. Bisie Sweetin, is considering bringing to Mt. Vernon, the scene of the trial, a number of noted alienists to prove that Hight was mentally diseased and incompetent.

It developed Thursday in Duquoin, the home of Nelson B. Layman, counsel for Hight, that the defense would spring several surprises within the next few days.

LETTERS AS TESTIMONY.

Letters written by Hight to Mrs. Sweetin while he was in the Nashville jail were read at the trial yesterday, following evidence by ministers who visited Hight after his arrest.

In one of the letters Hight concludes:

"Be true and take care of yourself." In the other he urged the necessity for good lawyers, telling his co-defendant that the state's attorney said he would send the best legal aid.

NAMED ACCESSORY.

Judge Kearn ruled that a paragraph in a confession alleged to have been made by Hight should be admitted as evidence. In it Hight names himself an accessory to the death of Sweetin.

Rev. Thomas B. Sowers, who was church attorney for Hight and present when the former clergyman confessed, testified to Hight's story of his friendship with Mrs. Sweetin.

"Brother Hight," he said, "asserted that his wife was cold and Mrs. Sweetin affectionate.

BLAMES MRS. SWEETIN.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Dec. 12.—After she had poisoned her husband, Mrs. Elsie Sweetin urged Lawrence M. Hight to poison his wife, according to evidence introduced Thursday in the trial of the two principals in the alleged love and conspiracy. The evidence was given by Methodist clergymen, who visited Hight after his arrest.

They also testified that Hight said he had provided the poison which Mrs. Sweetin is alleged to have administered to her husband.

LIGHTNING SHOCKS DECATUR WOMEN

LaPlace, Dec. 12—During the storm Sunday evening the lightning struck a wire at the telephone exchange, putting seven lines out of order and slightly shocking Mrs. Barner and Miss Harriett Bowden of Decatur, who were visiting their mother, Mrs. L. P. Bowden. They remained over night and returned to Decatur early Monday morning.

Miss Irene Goodrich, who has been here for some time helping care for her brother, Dr. Ray Goodrich, during his illness, returned to her home near St. Louis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. White have moved from the Lehew farm north of town into the E. E. Leathus house vacated by the Greenwoods.

Arthur Alexander and two children have been on the sick list for several days. The little girls are improving.

L. T. Davidson visited Chicago last week.

Little Miss Malinda Wakeman entertained several little schoolmates at dinner last Sunday, it being her eighth birthday.

Miss Eunice Ryman has been sick and out of school two or three days this week.

Prof. Wrench was out of school on account of illness Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Eagan, who was ill for some time is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Foley of Lake City were callers here Thursday.

David Musselman has moved to his daughter's, Mrs. Sam Shivley's, to spend the winter.

Chester Eagan has put in a radio for Guy Kintner of Casner.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Davidson of Sullivan made a short call here Thursday morning. The Doctor had the misfortune to lose his office in the late Sullivan fire.

Dr. Ellis of Cerro Gordo was called to see Mrs. Ed Chenoweth, who is quite ill. Her daughter, Mrs. Rosa Herman, who makes her home with her, also is ill.

Miss Aretha Chenoweth, who is attending school in Decatur, is at home on account of the illness of her mother and sister.

Miss Stella Arnold went to Greenville, Ohio, Wednesday to visit a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hodge entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Meisenhelter and son of Decatur Sunday.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church will have an oyster supper and bazaar Saturday night.

FOLLOWS MOTHER TO HOSPITAL CRISIS

Nokomis, Dec. 12—Following a severe attack of appendicitis, Miss Florence Johnson of this city was rushed to the Huber Memorial hospital at Pana to be operated on several days ago. Late advices from the hospital state that the operation was successful and that the patient is now recovering.

Miss Johnson's mother was a patient at the same hospital last week.

WISCONSIN TOWN HAS 7 FOOT SNOW

Ashland, Wis., Dec. 12—This city is digging itself out of one of the worst snowstorms experienced in years. Snow is drifted to a height of six and seven feet and exhibitors to the northern Wisconsin grain show were forced to travel by skis and snowshoes to enter their exhibits.

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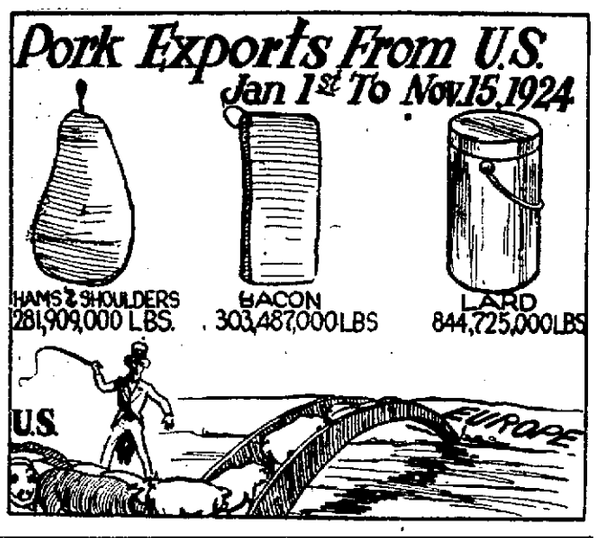

WITT PEOPLE IN THE DAY'S NEWS

Witt, Dec. 11—Quite a large audience attended the moving picture "Lest We Forget" in the basement of the Methodist church Monday night, Given by the Anti-Saloon League.

Miss Ina Carriker is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Ophia Wittman in Nokomis.

John Anderson of Nokomis, Floyde Pittenger and Edward Bates, motored to Jacksonville Tuesday to consult a nerve specialist concerning Mr. Bates' health. He has lost the use of his right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Warnes of Longview, Ill., returned to their home Tuesday after passing a few days visiting George Hiler and family.

Mrs. Ophia Wittman of Nokomis and daughter, Mrs. Chester Anderson and son Keith of Pana were here Saturday visiting relatives.

Charles Walcher, Misses Julia Walcher and Mabel Hiler were in Pana Saturday.

The Rebekah lodge conferred work on three new members Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Baxter and Miss Margarette Lowe motored to Oconee Sunday and attended the funeral of Mr. Baxters niece.

Lyle Marfell, who has employment in Springfield, was called home on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Caleb Marfell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Selletto and family of Hillsboro passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Rushford.

The third number of the lyceum course will be given Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Avena's hall. The entertainers will be The Old Kentucky Jubilee quartet.

Mrs. Henry Hoehn and mother Mrs. J. M. Vincent of Irving were in Pana Monday.

Mrs. Harry Tonks of Hillsboro visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Tonks Monday.

Harry Lowe moved his household goods to Taylorville Tuesday, where he and his family will make their home.

Mrs. Edward Whittley of Taylorville passed the week-end visiting at the home of Robert Jones and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Haywood of Taylorville, visited the former's brother, William Haywood and family Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church held its regular monthly business meeting in the church basement Tuesday afternoon. The hostesses were Mrs. W. Chinn, Mrs. H. Hartman and Mrs. R. Mitchell. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Henry Lee, Mrs. Earnest Powis and Mrs. Carl Powis were in Pana Monday.

Mrs. Jack Lowe and children were in Pana Friday on business.

Miss Nellie Dudan of Gillespie returned to her home Tuesday after visiting a few days at the home of Pete Hodson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fowler and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilds attended the funeral of Mrs Thomas Williams in Nokomis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chinn are visiting the latter's brother, Carl Luzader north of Nokomis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Stevenson and son of Chapman were visitors Sunday at the home of Jacob Baurle.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Carriker and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holmes motored to Taylorville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Betty and family were in Hillsboro Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hargraves attended "Trades Day" in Nokomis Tuesday.

Mrs. Moses Coffey is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Malchor and daughter were visiting relatives in Taylorville Sunday.

Mr. John Maurer returned from Springfield this week where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ida Betty has returned from Decatur where, she has been visiting relatives for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Muir, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Muir and family passed Sunday visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Harry Woodhouse and family in Irving.

Misses Garnett and Browning were in Hillsboro Saturday.

Andy Redmond and Miss Josephine Diggle were in Hillsboro Saturday.

Mrs. W. S. Purdy was in St. Louis Thursday.

Philip Hopley and Nick Tarro motored to Litchfield Sunday.

Roy Tucker of Hillsboro was in Witt Saturday visiting his mother, Mrs Milinda Tucker.

Thomas Ashbrook of Irving held a sale of his household goods Saturday. He will make his home with his step son Kurtis Qualls of this city.

Artie Lipe of Irving passed Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carriker and family.

Mrs. Samuel Florencio and daughter Hattie were in Hillsboro on business Tuesday.

Rev. H. B. Hartman pastor of the Methodist church preached in Kortkamp Sunday afternoon.

Robert Hiler and daughter Evonne were in Nokomis Tuesday on business.

MT. AUBURN MASONS HOLD AN ELECTION

Mt. Auburn, Dec. 12—Members of Kedron lodge, No. 340 A. F. & A. M. held their annual election of officers at the Masonic hall Wednesday night and elected officers as follows:

Worshipful Master—Frank B. Mulberry.

Senior Warden—Harold E. Armstrong.

Junior Warden—J. Owen Thomas.

Secretary—Eliza M. Maxwell.

Treasurer—L. C. Armstrong.

A. L. Hight has been Worshipful Master the past year.

Appointive officers will be filled at the next regular meeting.

Jaunita Lawson, Viola Bramel, Lucille Goodrich and Willard Glover, winners of the Mt. Auburn township spelling contest, held at the Mt. Auburn grade school building Saturday afternoon, are making arrangements to compete in the Christian county spelling match which will be held at the Taylorville high school building Saturday morning, Dec. 13, beginning at 10 o'clock.

The personal property of Luther E. Ball, consisting of farm machinery, stock, etc., were sold at a mortgagee's sale Tuesday at the farm west of Mt. Auburn. Mr. Ball moved to Arkansas several months ago and left the property in care of his sons here. The goods were sold to satisfy a mortgage held by the First National Bank of Blue Mound.

Earl Bloxam, who has been suffering with tuberculosis since serving overseas in the World war, has gone to Milwaukee, Wis., to enter a government hospital for treatment. His wife and three small children expect to move to Milwaukee at a later date.

Nord J. Moutrey of Decatur, who formerly resided on the Basar farm west of Mt. Auburn, has filed a petition for divorce from her husband, Walker Moutrey, charging him with desertion. The couple have three children.

HALLVILLE FOLKS ORGANIZE CLUB

Clinton, Dec. 12—At a meeting held last Thursday in the Hallville school building, a large number of representative citizens of that community formed a Community club, electing officers and taking plans for social welfare work.

Officers of the club are as follows: President, Frank Cline; vice-president, James Whited; secretary, Bert Pherigo; treasurer, Fred Barnett.

Committees appointed to draft a constitution were named: Mrs. Laura Thorp, Mrs. Ralph Irwin and Mrs. Edna Jones. A second meeting will be held next Wednesday evening.

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IVESDALE.

The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. M. Picketts Thursday Dec. 18, at 2 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Home Bureau will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Rose, Friday, Dec. 19 at 2 o'clock sharp. The hostesses will be Mrs. H. Perkins, Mrs. R. Rose and Miss Carrie Loftus. Mrs. Blanche Moore of Urbana will be present and give a talk.

James White, Jr., Edward and Joseph Forrestal, Dan and James Laroe motored to Penfield Monday.

M. Berrigan of Tolono was a business caller, Tuesday.

W. W. Anders was a Decatur visitor Monday.

Dr. C. L. Gallivan returned from Champaign Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Somers and little daughter and Mrs. H. Somers were Champaign visitors Monday.

Wilbur Storey of Decatur was a business caller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stout passed Wednesday in Champaign.

O. C. Hardin of Tolono was a caller in Ivesdale Wednesday.

Joseph Gallivan motored to Decatur Wednesday.

Thomas Metirath and Kearney Cain were Champaign callers Monday.

C. W. Adams of Monticello was a caller here Tuesday.

P. J. Nolan returned to Chicago Tuesday after attending the funeral of Mrs. John Grennan. Mrs. Nolan remained for a few week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabaka were Bement callers Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude Fleming of Kansas is visiting at the home of Will Cain.

James Gunning Jr., of Decatur passed Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grady and son and Mrs. A. Sherlock and grandson, Geroge passed Monday in Champaign.

MRS. BULLINGTON BURIED IN VANDALIA

Vandalia, Dec. 11—The body of Mrs. Warren Bullington was brought here overland from Hillsboro Tuesday and conveyed to South Hill for interment It was accompanied by the husband and a few relatives. Deceased formerly was of this county, but has been in Hillsboro a number of years. She leaves the husband and two small children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harding, who were here to attend the funeral of his brother, William Harding, returned Wednesday to their home in Osceola, Wis.

Miss Lucile Redmond went to Pana Tuesday to have her tonsils removed. Dr. Mark Greer of this city was the surgeon.

Miss Marie Schenker, who has been in Chicago for several weeks, entered the sanitarium at Hinsdale Tuesday and on Thursday will have her tonsils removed. Her sister, Miss Marjorie, went to Hinsdale Wednesday to be with her several days.

E. M. Doyle is in the hospital at Terre Haute under treatment for diabetes. Mrs. Doyle will remain with him for several weeks.

Miss Lyda Barnett who has been in Winfield, Kan., with relatives about two months returned Tuesday to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crickman left this week for Decatur, where they will make their home, having rented the farm.

Mrs. Leah Sefton and Mrs. Lydia McCoin left this week for Shreveport, La., where they will spend the winter with a niece.

Mrs. Eliza Bost left this week for New Orleans, where she will spend the winter with a daughter.

Ora Sheehan and family, who have been in Willowdale, Mont., the last seven years, returned to this city Tuesday to make their home.

Misses Dorothy O'Byrn of Decatur and Letha Brown of Greenville were guests the first of the week of Miss Pri Bennyhoff.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM

A free reading room is maintained at 148 West Prairie avenue, opposite the Y. M. C. A., where the Bible and Science and Health and all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy, together with all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, purchased or borrowed. This room is open daily from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., except Sunday and legal holidays. Also from 10 a. m. to 9 Saturday evenings.

The public is cordially invited to visit our reading room.

A copy of Science and Health, or any of the writings of Mrs. Eddy, would make an appropriate gift.

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KENNEY MAN LOSES END OF A FINGER

Kenney, Dec. 12 — Charles Fink had the end of his finger cut off on Tuesday when he caught it between the wheel and bed of his wagon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McBride were business callers in Decatur Thursday.

Mrs. M. E. Turner has returned to her home in Shawnee, Okla., after a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Enid Trowbridge is working at the Farmers Grain company office.

John Sever visited his wife on Wednesday at the open air colony in Springfield.

Ronald Pemberton, Clinton, transacted business in Kenney Wednesday.

Al Kirby, Decatur, spent Thursday with his brother, P. E. and family.

J. F. Regan, Decatur, visited Thursday with E. T. Jett and family.

O. W. Howard is ill this week with influenza.

A fair amount of grain is being handled by the elevators here. The local bid Thursday was $1.07.

Mrs. Sabra Buchanan is visiting her children in Clinton.

E. L. Foster spent Wednesday night in Clinton.

FIVE OF WEDDING PARTY ARE KILLED

Lyons, France, Dec. 12—Five wedding guests were killed outright and another died from his injuries when a motor car driven from the church in Brignais after the ceremony yesterday failed to take a corner and crashed through a store front.

Five other persons, including the bride and groom, were seriously injured and the driver alone escaped unhurt.

NEWCOMERS CLUB TO ISSUE PAPER

Only Four Other Such Clubs In United States.

The Newcomers club of Decatur, which is expanding constantly, is feeling cheery enough to have a publication of its own. James H. Copeland, president of the club, is planning to issue such a paper, and will bring the matter to the attention of the organization at its next meeting, on Jan. 2.

There are only four Newcomers clubs in the United States. Besides the one at Decatur, there are clubs in Evansville, Ind., Louisville, Ky., and Washington, D. C.

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Spanish Raw Peanuts, shelled, per pound 25c

None-Such Mince Meat, Reg. 18c pkg. 12½c

Dipping Chocolate —per pound 30c

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Crystalized Ginger, 2¾ oz. package 25c

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MARKHAM EXPECTS LONG PROSPERITY

I. C. Railroad Head Is Optimistic.

New York, Dec. 12—"Everything points to long-continued prosperity on the part of the American people" said President Charles H. Markham of the Illinois Central railroad at this morning's session of the eighteenth annual convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. Speaking on the subject of "Our Common Carriers and National Expansion," Mr. Markham predicted renewed interest in railway securities by the life insurance companies, whose holdings in that class of investment, he said, had dropped from thirty-five per cent of their total assets in 1911 to twenty-two per cent at the beginning of 1924.

He added that in a turn, the life companies investments in railway securities had slightly increased, rather than decreased, during that period. The total of railway securities held by these companies is about $2,000,000,000. Declaring that railroad conditions are now different from the past and that they will remain different, Mr. Markham expressed confidence that the life companies will make additional investments in railway securities to such an extent in the future as to reverse the downward trend of the recent past.

DEATHS

LOUISA M. ABBOTT.

Louisa M. Abbott, 1048 North Monroe street, died at 5 o'clock Friday morning at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. She was eighty-four years old. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Abbott was born in Dersetshire, England, June 25, 1840. She and Nirum Abbott were married in Rockford, Ill., in 1860. She had resided in Decatur since 1872. She was a member of the Spiritualist church. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Hattie Braucher of Chicago, Miss Myrtle Abbott and C. J. Abbott, both of Decatur. There are eight grand-children and five great grand-children. The body was removed to the Dawson & Wikoff undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

LESTER ARD.

Lester Ard of Sadorus died Thursday afternoon at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. He was twenty-five years old. His death was caused by peritonitis, which developed after an operation for appendicitis. He had been ill for thirty days.

Mr. Ard is survived by one brother, Freemont Ard, of Somerset, Ky., and the following sisters: Mrs. Wyatt Muse of Sadorus, with whom he made his home; Mrs. Ida Higginbotham, Mrs. Edna Foster and Miss Sallie Ard of Kentucky and Miss Eva Ard of Sadorus. The body was removed to the Dawson & Wikoff undertaking establishment and prepared for burial and was taken to Somerset, Ky., Friday.

NEW STATION AT DENVER TO OPEN ON MONDAY NIGHT

Another national radio voice, KOA the Rocky Mountain broadcasting station of the General Electric company at Denver, Colo., is scheduled to go on the air Dec. 15. The wave length, for the present will be 322 meters and the power rating 1500 watts.

Opening of KOA marks the completion of the General Electric chain of three broadcasting stations across the United States, WGY at Schenectady, N. Y., and KGO at Oakland Calif.

A spiritualist meeting will be held in the home of Mr. Nobel, 315 East Marietta street, at 7:30 Saturday evening Dec. 13. The meeting will be conducted by Mr. Meridith, pastor of Unity Spiritualist church of Peoria. The public is welcome to attend.

RADIO GROWING TOO RAPIDLY TO FIX REGULATION

Recently Suggested Wave Lengths Plan Obsolete.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12—Reallocation of wave lengths to radio broadcasting stations, as recommended by the recent national radio conference to the secretary of commerce, has been abandoned by the commerce departmet.

It is understood that until the radio broadcasting situation becomes more stable no attempt will be made to revise the present allocation of wave lengths, while the department will meet the increasing demands so far as possible.

ALREADY OBSOLETE.

The plan, which was devised a short time ago, has already been rendered obsolete by the increasing number of broadcasting stations and the demand for wave length assignments, officials of the department said today.

The radio conference, which met here in October, drew up a comprehensive plan for the reallocation of all radio wave lengths, shifting, in some cases, those for marine communication in order to extend the number available for commercial broadcasting stations.

Both the conference and department officials at the time expressed the belief the system would alleviate many of the ills of the present arrangement, but immediately after the tentative plan was announced the department began receiving an unprecedented number of applications for licenses for new stations.

RURAL STATIONS.

The radio conference reallocation plan in general was devised to make available more wave lengths in the great centers of population where, it was expected, the greater number of future broadcasting stations would be located. The applications that immediately began to come to the department, however, upset these calculations, since most of them were from the less thickly populated centers for which it became evident that adequate provision had not been made.

The complete upset of the reallocation plan, according to unofficial but reliable information has convinced commerce department officials that the radio art is changing so rapidly that it will be useless to attempt a general reallocation plan until broadcasting conditions become more stable.

Railroad Notes

Award Increase.

The Railroad Labor board has just handed down a decision awarding a raise of one cent an hour to the Railway Express company employes according to information received here by members of the B. R. C. A feature of the award is that it gives back pay for a period of seventeen months and to some of the men this will mean about $40 in back pay. They will now receive about 56 cents an hour.

Seventy Trains.

The Decatur division of the Wabash handled 2480 loads and 1495 empties in seventy trains Wednesday. There was a good movement of high-ball perishable stuff during the day, the meat and poultry business alone being seventy-four cars and the butter and lard business, ten cars. The vegetable and fruit movement was also better than it has been for some weeks, reaching a total of forty cars. Eighteen cars of cotton were handled and the sugar movement was unusually heavy on the trains through here. Fifteen cars of the sweetness were handled, ten of which were in one train. The cold weather of the last few days seemed to help the coal movement some and 253 carloads were handled on the Wabash trains into Decatur.

Railroad Notes.

The engine on the Wabash Champaign branch passenger train of the Wabash turned over about four miles north of Sidney Wednesday noon, when it struck a broken rail. Fireman Greene was slightly injured but Engineer Charley Whipple escaped injury entirely.

The cold weather making it possible for farmers to resume corn shucking has also caused an increased demand for grain cars at the country elevators along the Wabash. Wednesday fifty-five cars were loaded at these elevators and it was nearly all corn.

Dave Watson of the Wabash ticket office clerical force has bid in the first prick temporary vacancy as ticket clerk in place of E. H. Shimer.

Owing to better business on the Wabash north end, two more pool freight crews are to be put on, one for the sixth and one for the seventh districts.

Fireman Bert Shaw of the Wabash service out of Decatur is marked laying off injured.

FRENCH FLIER HAS 280 M. P. H. SPEED

Marseilles, France, Dec. 12—(AP)—Adjt. Bonnet, the French aviator, broke the world's speed record for one kilometer for airplanes at the Bas Istres airdrome near here Thursday, with an average of 449 kilometers per hour (roughly 280 miles) it was announced today. The former record of 429.025 kilometers was held by Lieut. A. J. Williams of the United States navy.

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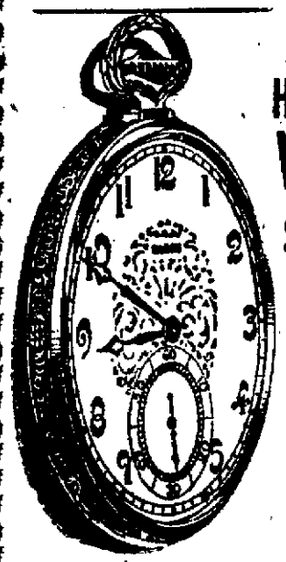

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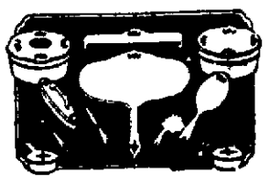

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Trick Grid Plays Need New Rulings

Paul Schissler, Former Lombard Coach, Pulls One—East Also Contributes Puzzle.

BY LAWRENCE PERRY.
(Copyright 1924)

New York, Dec 12—In the course of the recent Oregon-Oregon Aggies game the Aggies pulled a play that has been causing a great deal of talk in the far west When it was submitted to the writer he in turn placed it before some of the more prominent eastern and southern officials

There was a marked diversity of opinion and it seems clear that the rules committee will have to consider the problem and place their decision under the "improved rules rings" in the football guide

GUARD HAD BALL

The play was as follows The Aggies, coached by Paul Schissler had the ball The center passed it to the left guard who held it for a count of at least ten while the defense was mainly busying for the ball carrier and the Aggies interferers were making for a distant point in the field and came around behind and he got a good deal of the ball to him He made a thirty-six yard run before tackled

The referee seems to have been completely lost on the play but the umpire claimed it was illegal on the grounds that a player who receives the ball from the center is considered the carrier of the same

THE CONTENTION

Now some officials with whom the writer talks support the umpire saying there is nothing in the rules that describes the guard from receiving the ball from center As a matter of fact there is nothing in the rules that tells the writer that if the guard wished to move backward with the ball he would not even then be considered a ball carrier.

It is of course understood that the rules hold that anyone may carry the ball, except the center and the two players on either side of him Thus, were the guard upon receiving the ball from the center held by the offense to be the ball carrier a foul calling for a penalty would have been committed The difference of opinion centers upon whether or not the guard really is a ball carrier

Ed Thorpe a prominent eastern football official says that he would not consider the guard to be a ball carrier if he made no movement whatever But if he even so much as moved his arms to pass the ball to another player he would then consider that he fell within the category of ball carrier and would infict penalty

ANOTHER PLAY.

Another play was perpetrated by New York City College against Fordham Fordham sent a kick off over the goal A City College player kicked it up but did not touch it down. With the ball under his arm he walked slowly out into the field of play and then when the path was clear suddenly dashed for the Fordham goal

The referee—previously instructed about the play and requested not to blow his whistle unless the ball was actually touched down behind the goal—had no alternative to allowing the run to stand.

Probably the rules committee will see its way clear to making some explicit concerning plays of the sort

STUHLDREHER

What is this talk that Stuhldreher, the Notre Dame quarterback, never played football before he went to the South Bend institution? As a matter of fact he played at Kiski in the east and was a teammate with McMillan, captain-elect of the Princeton team In this connection there is a good story told of the two old teammates In the Princeton-Notre Dame game Stuhldreher tried two forward passes, both of which were intercepted Upon each occasion McMillan gave Stuhldreher the laugh, saying that he was fast losing his reputation and had better quit the game right now so as to save what he had left.

"Just for that" said Stuhldreher, "I'm going to take the ball ten yards through you" And he did forthwith

JUNIOR HIGH CASE TEAMS IN ACTION

Roosevelt At Hammond—Macon Meets Central.

The Roosevelt and Central Junior high school basketball teams play tonight, Macon high school playing Central of Decatur at the Decatur Y. M. C. A and Roosevelt journeying to Hammond.

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LOMBARDO, KAPLAN IN ELIMINATION

New York Dec. 12—Jose Lombardo of Panama and Kid Kaplan of Meriden Conn, will meet tonight at Madison Square Garden in the semi-final round of the state athletic commission's tournament to determine a successor to the featherweight boxing title surrendered by Johnny Dundee the winner will face Danny Kramer of Philadelphia for the title in a 15 round test in the same ring three weeks hence.

INVITE Y. M. TEAM TO CLINTON TOURNEY

Amateur Basketball Affair To Be Held On Jan. 3.

The Decatur Y M. C A. basketball team has received an invitation from the Clinton Minims to take part in the second annual junior independent basketball tournament, which will be held in Clinton Jan 3 It is probable that the invitation will be accepted.

This tournament is a strictly amateur affair, and is for boys under eighteen years of age The average weight for teams in this tournament will be 125 pounds

The Clinton Y. M. C. A and a Newman team have written the Decatur Y. for games. They will not be accepted however until other tentative dates have been decided upon definitely.

EDDIE COLLINS TO BOSS SOX

Veteran Player Will Take Johnny Evers' Place.

Chicago, Dec. 12—Eddie Collins, second baseman of the Chicago American League club, has been appointed manager of the White Sox for the 1925 season, succeeding Johnny Evers, according to word received here Thursday night from Charles Comiskey, president of the Sox, who is in New York attending the major league meeting.

Collins has long been considered the premier second baseman of the American League, if not of both major aggregations and has been an outstanding star of the game for many years

TO SOX IN 1915

He came to the White Sox in 1915, when he was purchased from the Philadelphia Athletics for a reputed $50,000 at that time considered a tremendous figure for a ball player to command

He joined the Athletics in 1906, coming from Columbia university where he was a college star.

ELKHART DEFEATS LINCOLN, 18 TO 11

Elkhart, Ill Dec 12—Elkhart high school handed Lincoln high its second straight beating of the season here Thursday night 18 to 11, in a contest in which the home team's defense shone brightly.

The summary:

Elkhart—	F.G.	F T.	T P
Tierney, f.	5	2	12
Brigham, f	0	0	0
Mozrie, c.	1	4	6
Danahan, g.	0	0	0
Huffman, g.	0	0	0
Totals	6	6	18

Lincoln—	F.G	F T.	T P
Wilson, f.	0	0	0
Klarr, f.	1	1	3
Lanc, c	3	1	7
Mitchell, g.	0	0	0
Quisenberry, g.	0	0	0
Bateman, f.	0	1	1
Totals	4	3	11

Referee—Duncan

SHELBYVILLE PLAYS ON FINDLAY FLOOR

Pana Met In Shelby Gym Saturday.

Shelbyville, Ill. Dec. 12—The Shelbyville and Findlay high school basketball team meet at Findlay tonight

Findlay has an edge in games won from Shelbyville. A number of fans are planning on accompanying the team on the trip.

Pana comes to Shelbyville Saturday night in one of the big games of the season. The game is a "booster" affair the proceeds of which will be devoted to equipment for the local team.

EFFINGHAM DEFEATS TOLEDO HIGH, 23-11

Effingham, Ill, Dec. 12—The Effingham high school basketball team defeated Toledo on the Effingham gym floor Thursday night, 23 to 11.

The game was fast and rough and numerous fouls were inflicted A large crowd witnessed the local victory.

The lineups:

Effingham	FG.	FT	TP.
Haypool forward	3	1	7
Parkhurst, forward	3	1	7
Goebel, forward	2	3	7
Davis, center	0	1	1
Morgan, guard	0	1	1
Osborne, guard	0	0	0
Totals	8	7	23

Toledo.	FG	FT	TP.
Thornton, forward	1	0	2
Cougill, forward	1	0	2
Keller, forward	0	0	0
Ryan center	1	5	7
Lovings, guard	0	0	0
Stewart guard	0	0	0
Beam, guard	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	11

Referee—Rotz of Millikin.

Spendthrift!

Connie Mack, Once Thrifty, Spends Money With Reckless Abandon.

GORDON COCHRANE.

Connie Mack, who almost overnight turned into baseball's greatest spendthrift, feels that he made a wise purchase when he cut loose with $50,000 in real money, and several players as an added attraction, for Catcher Gordon Cochrane of Portland.

Playing his first year in professional circles, Cochrane was the sensation of the Coast League. Critics out that way figure he will displace Cy Perkins as first-string catcher of the Athletics.

WESLEYAN WINS FROM LINCOLN

Bloomington, Dec. 12—Coach Wally Roettger opened his collegiate coaching career auspiciously here Thursday night when his pupils won 25 to 14 from the Lincoln college five.

The score

Wesleyan—	FG.	FT.	TP
Foster, forward	3	1	7
Lindquist, forward	4	0	8
Mitchell, forward	1	0	2
Garner, forward	0	0	0
Anderson, center	3	0	6
Alvine, guard	1	0	2
Harling, guard	0	0	0
Meyers, guard	0	0	0
Totals	12	1	25

Ashborough, forward	3	1	7
Kellner, forward	0	1	1
Layman, forward	1	0	2
Prince, center	0	0	0
Watt, center	2	0	4
Parker, guard	0	0	0
Hall, guard	0	0	0
Totals	6	2	14

Referee—Lieut Grimes (Chanute Field).

SEE DEMPSEY AND TOMMY IN BOUT

Dope Has Them Boxing for Charity.

BY FAIR PLAY
(Copyright, 1924)

New York, Dec. 12—The hot dope is that Jack Dempsey and Tommy Gibbons will meet in the Madison Square Garden this winter in the first of the season's Milk Fund bouts.

Dempsey is said to have a financial interest in the Garden and even if he has not he will go in on a suitable guarantee. He is indebted in many ways to the promoters of the Milk shows and it will be his turn to come through with a fight in behalf of the cause.

Dempsey has not fought in so long a time that the general belief is that Tommy will make him step quite some.

RAY CLOTHIERS ADD MOWEAQUA SCALP

Moweaqua, Ill, Dec. 12—The Ray Clothiers of Decatur, fast independent basketball team, defeated the Moweaqua Independents on the local floor Thursday night, 48 to 11.

Humble and Walley starred for the winners. The Decatur team plays Wapella at Wapella tonight. The summary:

Ray Clothiers—Humble, Waltens and Blair, forwards; Walley, center; Pearce, Lahme and Erickson, guards. Moweaqua—Odell and Tirpak, forwards; Scarlet, center; Lanna and Patton.

WESTERN GOLFERS IN ANNUAL PLAY

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Officers and delegates were gathering here today for the annual meeting tomorrow of the Western Golf association, to plan for next season's amateur, open and junior championships.

President Charles O. Pfeil of Memphis, Tenn, who has been renominated, will preside. Spirited bidding is expected for the title events, one of the strongest contenders for the open being the Youngstown, Ohio, Country club.

Delegates will attend from Cleveland, Detroit, St. Paul, Kalamazoo, Peoria and a number of other cities.

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DECATUR ONE OF 11 IN LEAGUE

Central Illinois High Schools Form Conference.

The Central Illinois High School Athletic conference was formed Thursday at a meeting held at the Decatur high school. Representatives of eleven high schools, including Decatur, were present.

Membership is limited to schools having 500 or more students and located within 100 miles of Decatur.

Those in attendance at the meeting and members of the new conference are:

Bloomington	Mattoon
Danville	Decatur
Champaign	Lincoln
Springfield	Peoria Central
Jacksonville	Peoria Manual.
Urbana	

PLAN TRACK MEET.

The only actual move made, aside from the formation of the conference, was the decision to hold a track meet at Springfield on the Saturday preceding the University of Illinois meet.

Football games and basketball contests will be scheduled between the members of the conference and annual champions will be selected at the end of each season.

Champaign and Danville, both undefeated in football this season, were unofficially decided upon as the champions, jointly of the conference for 1924.

Those in attendance at the meeting were:

Principal W. L Kayser of Jacksonville; Athletic director Thomas of Danville, W. C. Baer, principal of Danville, Superintendent of schools Black of Mattoon, Athletic director Anderson of Lincoln, Harold Osborne of Champaign, Principal Dale of Champaign, Ira McKinney of Champaign, Debate Coach Olive Martin of Champaign, Coach L. R. Moyer of Champaign, Principal M L Flannigan of Urbana, L B Sutherland of Lincoln, Principal W. E Nelson of Quincy, Athletic Director Frankenburger of East St. Louis, Debate Coach Thomas of Springfield, Athletic director Deffenbaugh of Springfield, Coach Royal of Springfield, Principal McCoy of Springfield

IOWA TO MEET U. S. C. ON COAST

Portland, Ore, Dec 12—The University of Southern California football team will play the University of Iowa team at Los Angeles, Nov 21, 1925, it was announced here by Graduate Manager Wilson of the U S. C. team

INDIANA AWARDS FRESHMAN LETTERS

Bloomington Ind, Dec. 12—Thirty-three freshmen football players at Indiana university were awarded numerals for their work during the 1924 season, it was announced Thursday.

MILLIKIN FIVE ON HARD TRIP

Play Armour Tech and Marquette—11 Players.

The Millikin basketball team made up of 11 players and assistant Coach Sutherd left this morning for Chicago where Armour Institute will be met at five o'clock in the first game of the season for the blue and white tossers.

Coach Johnson who is in Peoria for the I. I. A C meeting will join the squad at Milwaukee and be on hand for the Marquette game which is expected to be the hardest of the two.

NEAT SUITS.

Coach Johnson has outfitted his squad in some of the neatest suits ever worn by a blue and white team having two sets of jerseys, one solid blue with Millikin in blue letters on a white back ground and the other white with Millikin in white letters on a blue background. The pants which will be worn with both sets of jerseys are solid blue with a white stripe. The 1925 Millikin cage team will not observe the usual custom of wearing athletic hose.

Following are the men who made the trip. Millikin, Evans, Long and Switzer, forwards; Madden and Rauchman, centers; Arrington, Bishop, Douglas, Fields and Darkin guards.

TAYLOR TO LEAD MONMOUTH TEAM

Monmouth, Ill, Dec. 12—Warren Taylor of Newberg, N. Y., a backfield man who was picked by many writers on a mythical eleven of the Little Nineteen was elected captain of the Monmouth College, 1925 football team at a meeting of the 1924 letter men

BEMENT HIGH AT TUSCOLA TONIGHT

Tuscola, Ill., Dec. 12—The Bement and Tuscola high school basketball teams meet on the local gym floor tonight in the opening game of the season

Bement has a green team, but one letter man being back.

SYRUP OF PEPSINS WIN SPEEDY GAME

Monticello, Ill, Dec. 12—The Syrup of Pepsin basketball team defeated the Linn & Scruggs team of Decatur, 24 to 19, on the local floor Thursday night.

The game was the fastest played here this season.

The locals built up a commanding lead in the first half, but the Decatur team rallied as the game drew near a close and at one stage of the game were within two points of a tie.

Manning, Culley and Campbell were the high point men for Linn & Scruggs, getting three, four and two respectively. McKenzie and Plunk starred for the locals.

Decatur Opens Cage Season With U. High

Normal High School Team Invades Red and White Gym.

PROBABLE LINEUPS.

Decatur.	Pos.	U. High.
Thompson	R.F.	Daniels
Pope	L.F.	Nafziger
Lowery	C	Schuth
Harrold	R.G.	Whittington
Mitchell	L.G.	McClure

Reserves: Decatur—Jones, Sattley, Coffin, Trisch and Hiser. U. High—Penrith and Lambdin.

BY FRANK WEIR.

Coach Charlie Crooks sends Decatur high school basketball team into action in the first regular game of the season on the local high school floor tonight.

The University high team of Normal, coached by Paul K. Benjamin, will furnish the opposition and reports from the school town to the north of Decatur indicates that Crooks' charges have a large evening's work cut out for them.

PROMISING MATERIAL

The visitors, on paper at least, seem to have a strong team

The first five men on his list are all experienced players and in practice sessions have shown promise of being a very capable machine.

Crooks has ten players, any five of which he can start and still be at top strength. In the practice tilt earlier this week the players showed good basketball and with a real game at stake, one which goes into the record book, should display some pleasing early season form

GOOD GUARDS

Decatur starts the 1924-25 season with a pair of veteran guards Harrold and Mitchell are both good men and can be counted upon to give nine out of any ten visiting forwards a very bothersome evening Jones and Sattley are among the veteran forwards of last season Thompson and Pope of the football team, have shown a good deal of ability

Pope lacking lankiness makes up for his lack of inches by his speed, fight and tricky work, a valuable trio of assets

HASKELL DEMANDS NOT MET; CANCELS

Lawrence, Kas, Dec. 12—A post-season football game to have been played by the Haskell Indians and the Oklahoma A and M, at Dallas, Texas, Saturday was declared off by Haskell authorities when the Oklahoma school authorities failed to post Haskell expense money, which the Haskell officials said had been part of the agreement.

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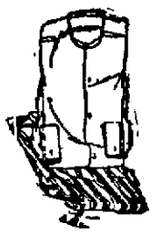

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Baseball Men Sing Landis' Praise At Hartford.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.

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New York, Dec. 12.—The most successful era of endorsements in baseball history, inaugurated by the National Association at its meeting in Hartford has been brought to a brilliant close. As the writer forecast Wednesday, the American League has added its little bouquet to the tributes prepared for High Commissioner of Baseball Landis by the National Association at Hartford and the National League which held its meeting here Tuesday.

Thus draws to a peaceful close a series of baseball meetings that gave promise of some hot battling.

ANOTHER SESSION.

The joint session of the major leagues was scheduled for Thursday but as Commissioner Landis was unable to be present owing to the illness of his wife, it is probable that this formality of meeting will be followed by a second meeting to be held in Chicago after the holidays.

The American League did not enter so fulsomely into the matter of endorsing Commissioner Landis and all his works as did the National Association and the National League. There was neither inference nor intimation to be gathered from its encomium. It was a straightforward testimonial to the administration and integrity of the judge, of which qualities there never has been any doubt.

DIRECT COMPLIMENT.

A direct compliment was paid the judge when the American League members "reaffirmed their continued faith in his confidence and integrity." There was a very pronounced declaration of faith in the statement that the league believes that "the game's greatest security and safeguard for the future lie in the fullest co-operation between the two major leagues and Landis.

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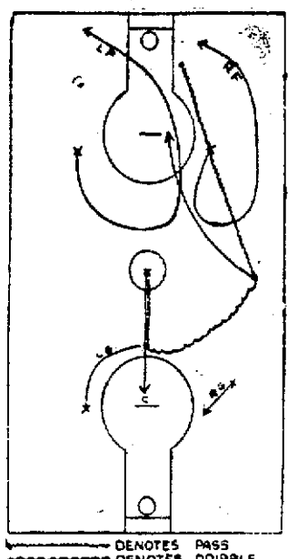

BY COACH EARL WIGHT.

California Coast Champions.

Ball tapped straight back to G., who is crossing court at right angles. G. dribbles to sideline and in a good position for a long fast pass to R. F., who has started up, circled and coming in parallel to the end line. L. F. is a decoy, but might take the pass if necessary. C. takes a defensive position with the other G.

MARION "RED" JONES DECATUR HI LEADER

Basketball Letter Men Elect Captain.

Marion "Red" Jones, senior and a member of the class graduating in February, was Thursday night elected captain of the basketball team. Those voting were Mitchell, Harrold, Jones, Sattley, Trisch and Robbins.

NOTRE DAME HAS GRID WORK OUT

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 12.—The Notre Dame football team which is preparing for the contest with Leland Stanford at Pasadena, New Year's day, was given its first outdoor workout of the past two weeks Thursday with the passing of the extreme cold weather which heretofore has prevented such practice.

SENATORS BUSY IN 2 TRADES

Cleveland and Boston Dicker with the Champs.

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—Two important deals in both of which the world's champion Washington Senators figured, marked the final gathering of baseball clans here Thursday.

The Senators obtained Stanley Coveleskie, veteran Cleveland pitcher, and Mike McNally, utility man traded Wednesday to Boston by the New York Yankees for Howard Shanks.

THE EXCHANGE.

Washington gave J. T. Prothro, third baseman in exchange for McNally, while Cleveland gets Byron Speece, pitcher, and Carl Smith, outfielder, for Coveleskie.

Prothro, a .300 hitter, will play regularly for the Red Sox, according to Bob Quinn, president of the club. McNally will give the Senators an understudy for third base and shortstop, where reinforcements were badly needed during the last world's series.

URBAN SHOCKER.

Progress was made by the Yankees in their efforts to obtain Urban Shocker, veteran spit-ball pitcher, and it was reported two St. Louis and three Yankee players would figure in the deal now under consideration with either Joe Bush or Bob Shawkey going to the Browns. According to Miller Huggins, manager of the Yankees, however, nothing definite will be done for several days.

BOWLING

HANDICAP LEAGUE.
ALL STARS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Fraihman	191	184	203	578	192
Bray	203	149	171	523	174
McIntyre	184	155	190	528	176
Kawaski	192	189	167	539	180
Doherty	162	184	206	552	184
Totals	931	852	937	2720	

PICKUPS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Stout	161	118	174	453	151
Haas	190	184	178	552	174
Lukey	166	180	172	518	173
Alderson	179	158	172	509	170
Butts	179	190	174	543	181
Handicap	61	61	61		
Totals	996	891	931	2545	

High individual score—"Short" Doherty, 206; high individual average, Harry Frahlman, 192.

SPEED BOYS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Brix	190	176	137	503	168
Scharein	203	141	159	503	168
Jendry	173	172	163	508	169
Augustine	144	177	178	499	166
A. Dombroski	155	192	153	490	163
Handicap	...	2	2		
Totals	865	860	792	2507	

SOUTHPAWS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Freidinger	158	...	...	158	158
App	163	153	169	485	162
Lyon	155	175	150	480	160
Kessack	151	170	181	502	168
Gustin	169	188	178	535	178
Steven	...	168	165	330	165
Handicap	5	...	...	...	
Totals	799	862	834	2490	

High individual score—Scharein, 203; high individual average, Gustin, 178.

ELIAS TIRES.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Hopkins	146	193	173	512	171
Bearman	138	170	144	452	151
Hazelrigg	166	170	164	500	167
Burns	150	123	137	410	140
Elias	151	150	131	432	144
Handicap	23	23	23		
Totals	783	829	772	2315	

SHULKE TOPS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Madison	165	125	182	472	157
Widick	150	162	168	480	160
Henry	171	137	152	460	153
O. Dombroski	246	176	190	612	204
Shulke	211	154	157	522	174
Totals	953	754	849	2556	

High individual score—Otto Dombroski, 246; high individual average, Otto Dombroski, 204.

ARMOURS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Kisch	179	168	174	521	174
Lyness	142	157	124	423	141
Beck	168	145	169	482	154
Leonard	135	160	158	437	152
Briggs	149	183	129	461	154
Handicap	71	71	71		
Totals	834	900	825	2324	

WABASH.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Larrick	159	163	182	504	168
Boss	173	131	183	487	162
Dooley	144	180	162	486	155
Cringan	178	110	170	402	134
Stringham	157	100	179	405	135
Totals	806	745	873	2414	

High individual score—L. Briggs, 183; high individual average, F. V. Kisch, 174.

Racing Notes

After having about all the bad luck that is coming to him Earle Sande, America's premiere rider, is out again and apparently fully recovered. While riding Spurt at Saratoga, Sande's leg was broken. About the time he was able to leave the hospital, he was stricken with pneumonia, but that has passed and he expects to be able to wear the Rancocas Stable's colors again next spring.

The name of Bygone Days in the entries for the sixth race at New Orleans suggests bygone days, when Follies Bergeres raced at the Fair Grounds and Delmar. She belonged to the Avondale Stable and was one of the last daughters of Himyar. Bygone Days is a son of Follies Bergeres and is well enough bred to win.

A heavy rain Tuesday night made the track at New Orleans very heavy Wednesday and the horses that got off in front had all the best of it. This was the case with Mrs. J. A. Coburn's horse, Canyon. He got off in front and easily led the way through the mud.

Cherry Pie will be sent by the Greentree Stable from New Orleans to Tia Juana in time to get acclimated and race for the Coffroth Handicap. Cherry Pie won three races at Pimlico and is the pet horse of his owner, Mrs. Payne Whitney, who owned his dame, Cherry Mallotte.

Horsemen do not quite understand why E. F. Sims is selling all of the horses of the Xalpa Farm at one of the biggest auctions ever announced. Sims is one of the heavy stockholders in the People's Motorbus Company and is well known in St. Louis. His career as an owner began with Yale '21, a colt by Onondago-Zaidee, that he named for his class.

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ALL BIG 10 TEAMS ELECT CAPTAINS

Line Gets Majority of Honor Again.

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—Although the tumult and the shouting has died on Western Conference gridirons, and debate on the feats of the past season has subsided, plans for 1925 have not abated in the transfer of interest to winter sports.

Next year's captains have been selected. The coveted varsity letters have been awarded.

The Chicago Maroons, Conference champs by reason of their record of no defeats, have named Fred ("Bud") Henderson, Butte, Mont., a tackle, to captain the 1925 eleven.

GRANGE AT ILLINOIS.

Harold ("Red") Grange, 1923 All-American halfback and this year's mainstay of the Illinois varsity, has been chosen by his mates to lead them.

Larry Marks, a Junior, has been elected by the Indiana grid men.

The Wisconsin Badgers have flouted orthodox tradition and named Steve Polaski, a married man, as the 1925 leader.

The youngest captain in the conference was selected by Northwestern. He is Tom Lowry, 19-year-old center.

Herman Asher, backfield ace, will captain the Minnesota team.

Iowa has picked Harold ("Tub") Griffen, regular center for the last two seasons.

Purdue will be piloted by Harold Harmeson.

Harold Cunningham, end, captain of Ohio State, was one of the few wing men ever named as leader.

The Michigan Wolverines decided on Robert Brown.

GAMES TONIGHT

LOCAL TEAMS

Millikin at Armour Tech.
U. High at Decatur (7:30 p. m.)
Roosevelt at Hammond.
Macon at Central (7:30 p. m.)

CENTRAL ILLINOIS

Auburn at Springfield.
Athens at Canton.
Medora at Brighton.
New Berlin at Ashland.
Clinton at Mahomet.
Tallula at Petersburg.
New Holland at Hartsburg.
Shipman at Modesto.
Waggoner at Witt.
Mt. Pulaski at Mason City.
Murrayville at Jacksonville.
Leroy at Bloomington.
Middletown at Atlanta.
Shelbyville at Findlay.
Bement at Tuscola.
Vandalia at Kinmundy.
Centralia at Mt. Vernon.
Windsor at Sullivan.
Arthur at Villa Grove.
Effingham at Charleston T. C.
Cowden at Beecher City.
Moweaqua at Lovington.
Stonington at Morrisonville.
Ipavia at Atwood.
Niantic at Bethany.
Oakland at Chrisman.
Greenup at Altamont.
Elkhart at Latham.
Virden at Carlinville.

THURSDAY RESULTS

Ohio state, 41; Ohio Wesleyan, 32.
Marquette, 17; Milton, 12.
Minnesota, 30; North Dakota, 9.
Navy, 23; Maryland, 16.
Michigan Aggies, 41; Adrian, 16.
Illinois Wesleyan, 23; Lincoln, 14.

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MOWEAQUA MEETS LOVINGTON HIGH

Moweaqua, Ill., Dec. 12.—Moweaqua high school opens the basketball season on its own floor tonight, meeting Lovington. As a curtain raiser, the Decatur High school Sophomore team will meet the Moweaqua Seconds.

Lovington defeated Moweaqua in football this season and the locals are eager to collect a little revenge.

S. S. BASKETBALL AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Westminster Sunday school defeated Central Church of Christ, and First Methodists won from the Congregationalists in the opening games of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday school basketball tournament at the Y Wednesday night. The scores were 16-10 and 38-28, respectively.

White, Lehn and Lindsey, of the Westminster team, made the most points for the winners of the first game, while Good for the losers showed up well with three field goals.

Freeman and Bear were the high point men for the winners of the second game, but Bob Munsle, for the Congregationalists, rung up eight field goals. At the beginning of the second game the Methodists started off with a bang, when Bear got the ball on the tip off and went down for a field goal.

STANDINGS:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
First Methodist	1	0	1.000
Westminster	1	0	1.000
Congregational	0	1	.000
Central Church of Christ	0	1	.000
Church of God	0	0	.000
First Presbyterian	0	0	.000
First Baptist	0	0	.000
Grace Methodist	0	0	.000

DEPAUW FIRST ON ILLINOIS SCHEDULE

Basketball Teams Play Saturday At Urbana.

PROBABLE LINEUP.

Illinois.	Pos.	DePauw.
Mauer (Capt.)	F	Stewart
Karnes	F	Wilson
Martin	C	Sturtridge
Haines	G	Struck
Reynolds	G	Hirt (Capt.)

Officials—Referee, F. H. Young; umpire, J. J. Maloney. Game called at 7:30 p. m. Gates close at 7:27 p. m.

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 12.—On the eve of the season's opening game with DePauw, always dangerous and a first-game nemesis for Illinois, Coach Craig Ruby's basketball five has eased off from the hard practice of the past three weeks and now awaits, none too confidently, the invasion Saturday night of the team which beat the Orange and Blue by a one-point margin after two overtime periods at the start of last season.

Ruby's bid for a successor to his co-championship five of last year will be founded on only three letter men, but one a regular. Captain Johnny Mauer is the only member of the 1924 co-title team, and Ruby's one sure bet. Mauer with Karnes, a letter man of last year, will start at the forward berths. Martin or Hollopeter will jump center. If Martin starts at that post, Hollopeter may move to guard. Haines, the third letter man and the fastest player on the squad, and Reynolds, flashy sophomore, will see service at guard, and these two probably will start the game.

ONE REGULAR.

Coach Guy Morrison's DePauw outfit also contains but one of last year's regulars. He is Captain Hirt who defends back guard. Wilson and Struck played two years ago, however. Sturtridge and Stewart are both sophomores who starred with the freshmen last year, and have displaced older men for their berths. The Hoosiers have already played two games with Danville, Ind., Normal School and Hoosier Athletic Club of Indianapolis, winning the first tilt handily by a 46-14 score. Craig has deep respect for any team with such a powerful offense.

Games with Washington University of St. Louis, Mo., Butler, Kentucky and Notre Dame will occupy the Illini before the opening of the conference race against Chicago on the Midway Jan. 10. Ruby scheduled hard opponents for these preliminary tilts in order to give his green team excellent practice for the Big Ten race.

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FANS MUST GET NEW BALL PARK

A. E. Staley Co. to Tear Down Present Stands.

The Decatur Fans association must look for a new baseball field next year. This situation has faced the fans each year since the return of Three-I baseball to the city and the use of Staley field was secured. The Staley company, however, has decided that it must salvage the lumber in the stands at once if any is to be saved. The company is also in need of storage space and the ground is needed for this.

A. E. Staley thought he would be forced to use the ground last year but was able to wait another year. Now the prospects are for work on the viaduct and other construction work there and he wants to get the place in condition. He feels he has helped the baseball situation less as much as he can by allowing the use of the field at $100 a year rental thus long. He needs the ground and feels that with the viaduct there and a free bleachers the grounds would be out of the question any way.

SUE ED LEWIS FOR DAMAGES

Kansas City, Dec. 12.—Strangler Lewis, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, was served with a damage suit summons here last night, following his match with Hassan Ollen at Convention hall. The suit, filed in the circuit court here yesterday, sues for $10,000.

The complaint alleges that F. H. Padgett, a mechanic of Colorado Springs, Colo., was permanently disabled when he was struck by a motor car driven by Lewis Aug. 1, 1922. According to the complaint, the champion, while driving his car out of the garage in which Padgett was employed at Colorado Springs, struck the mechanic and carried him some twenty feet.

William Sandow, manager for Lewis, declared the champion stopped his car and asked Padgett whether he was injured, and Padgett replied that "he did not think so." Sandow said Lewis gave Padgett $25 for damage to his clothing at the time of the accident.

BURY BELMONT IN NEW YORK TODAY

New York, Dec. 12—Funeral services will be held at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine at 4 p. m. today for August Belmont, financier and sportsman, who died last night.

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—Tweed Caps
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—Dress Shirts —Bill Folds
—Golf Hose —Soft Collar Cases

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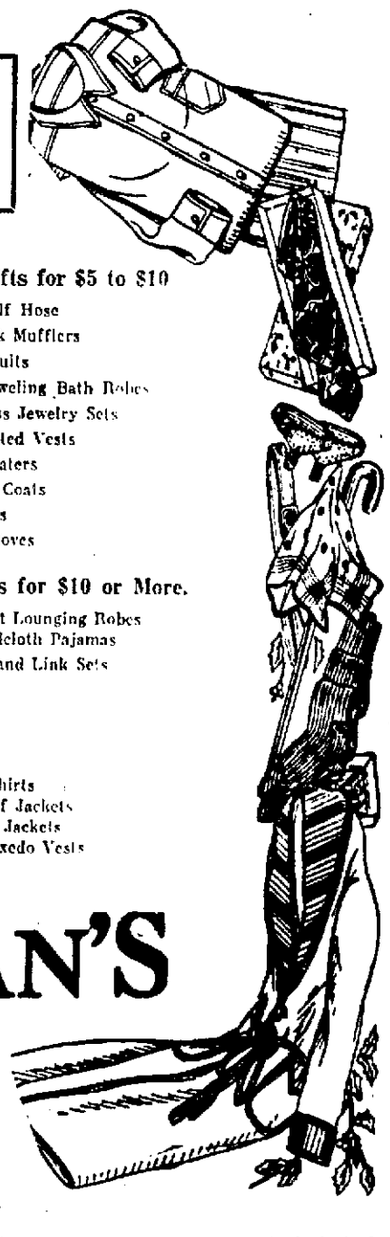

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ESCAPED PRISONER GIVES HIMSELF UP

Fayette Farmer Faces Two Charges.

Vandalia, Ill., Dec. 12. — Pete Jackson of Carson township, who was arrested some time back for threatening his wife and for attacking and injuring a neighbor, and who escaped from jail, came to the sheriff this week and gave himself up. He was taken into custody and arranged bond to appear before the February grand jury.

COURT OF HONOR QUITS.

The Court of Honor, an organization here numbering 115 members and being taken over by the Springfield Life Insurance Co., has dissolved and an accumulation of $617 belonging to the lodge will be divided among the members. This lodge was organized in 1895.

IN COUNTY COURT.

The following cases have been disposed of in county court this week: People vs. Jos. McElyea, non support; settled by agreement, defendant to pay $50 cash and $25 per month until June term of county court.

People vs. Jesse Pope, bastardy; settled.

People vs. Andy Nowlin, carrying and flourishing concealed weapons; continued.

Wm. Card, possessing intoxicating liquor; continued.

Orville Brown, non support; defendant to pay wife $15 a month until further order of court.

Rollin Liggett, selling liquor; pleads not guilty; continued.

Robt. Anderson vs. E. M. Frank, attachment; dismissed by plaintiff at his cost.

O. E. S. OFFICERS.

Eastern Star has elected the following officers:

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Helen Boye.
Worthy Patron—Frank Smith.
Associate Matron—Mrs. Ruth Lynn.
Conductress—Mrs. Estelle Frank.
Associate Conductress—Mrs. Julia Smith.
Secretary and Treasurer — Mrs. Bella Henry.

Installation will occur first Thursday night in January.

OLD BUILDING GONE.

The building known as the old Blackwell building, on Gallatin street, is no more, and in its place is erected and now in operation a filling station for the Standard Oil Co. Donald Gerichs is the day attendant with Warren Hubble from 5 to 10 p. m.

George (Tuck) Naylor has leased the Rabb hotel and expects to be ready for business some time before Christmas. He will run this on the European plan.

Miss Belva Gryllch, formerly of this city, but residing now in Champaign, is reported seriously ill with pernicious anemia with little hopes of recovery. Miss Gryllch attended school here until graduation and removed with the family to Champaign to further her education. She later taught school.

Bell White and Walter Logsdon, arrested for being drunk, paid a fine each of $10 and costs Wednesday.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

Mrs. W. G. Cahill and Chas. Houston left Wednesday night for Elmyra, N. Y., to attend the funeral of their nephew, Edward Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Houston, former residents here. Deceased died after a few days' illness with pneumonia. He was nineteen years of age and a law student at Cornell University. He is survived by his parents and two brothers.

SORELY AFFLICTED.

Fred Bagley of Sefton township reports the serious trouble he and his wife have had the last three months. Seven children were down at one time with typhoid fever. One died, thirteen years old, on Thanksgiving and on Nov. 23 a boy was born. They have nine children living and all are now thought to be out of danger.

FIRE DEPT. OFFICERS.

The Vandalia Fire department has elected the following officers:

Chas. A. Higgins, chief; Fred Gerichs, first assistant; Fred Sunrna, second asst.; Clarence Smith, treasurer and Sam Rutledge, secretary.

TO MARRY SOON.

Alderson Molz arrived here from Oklahoma, where he has charge of a large hotel, and will remain over Christmas with relatives and friends here and in Pana. It is reported he and Miss Genevieve Rutledge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rutledge, of this city, are to be married between now and Christmas.

Mrs. Clare Gray is spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Coffey. She will leave next week for Toronto, Can., where Mr. Gray is manager of the Syrup Pepsin Co.

Geisha Girls Enthuse Over "Bobs"

Upper Left—How married women arrange their hair. Center—"Cherry" teaches her sisters American styles. Upper Right—Young Geisha style of hairdress. Below — Slightly waved fashion much in favor with ultra-fashionable women.

Tokyo, Japan—"Cherry" is teaching Japanese women the newest wrinkles in the improvement of their hairdress.

She is Miss Chiyoko Yamano, and she has just returned after a number of years spent in a Broadway beauty shop.

Japanese ladies of fashion are not slow to pick up the latest and now "Cherry's" parlors are the center of Tokyo's chic women.

Unable to handle the growing demand for "bobs" and marcels, she has been teaching the native style hairdressers how it is done in the United States. Now all Japanese women appear with some variation of a "wave" except on the most formal of native ceremonies.

Japanese women have much more hair than their American sisters—due to the fact that they have never worn hats until very recently, and also to the continual oiling and care which is given under Japanese style of hairdressing.

Bobbing is not popular among mature women on account of the fact that the cutting of the hair was formerly a sign of mourning.

Girls and young women, however, have taken to the "bob" with enthusiasm and the more wave in it the more stylish.

Japanese women have also taken to the other ministrations of the beauty shop, some of them making a day of it in their weekly visits.

ESTATE $100,000 SHORT OF DEBTS

Sterling, Ill., Dec. 12—A partial inventory of the assets of the estate of the late Aaron A. Wolfersperger, prominent Sterling attorney and former county judge, whose estate, it was recently announced by John Stager, his law partner, would be at least $100,000 short of the amount required to liquidate all claims against it, has been prepared for filing with the Whiteside county probate court by Mr. Stager, who is acting for Miss Lellia Wolfersperger, daughter of the late financier and executrix of his estate.

Mr. Stager's partial report does not list claims against the estate, which will not be filed until the January term of the court, nor does it total the inventory of assets, merely listing the various assets, the actual value of many of which is not known.

Eighty two pieces of real estate are listed, no value being placed upon many of them; but all mortgages against them are listed and the sale price is given if any has been sold under contract. Capital stock is listed at par and notes are listed at face value, although it is said by Mr. Stager that many of them will never be paid in full and on some of them probably no collection can be made.

MASONIC MEET AT ASSUMPTION

Assumption, Dec. 12.—One hundred and twenty-five people attended the annual homecoming and banquet of Bromwell lodge, 451, Masons, Wednesday evening.

The reception that had been planned in connection with it in honor of Grand Master R. C. Davenport was cancelled as he was unable to be present owing to illness in the family.

In the afternoon work in the M. M. degree was put on in the new temple. In the evening at 7:30 the banquet was held at the Memorial Presbyterian church, served by Tacusah chapter, O. E. S. Delegations were present from Stonington, Owaneco, Tower Hill, Pana, Shelbyville and Blue Mound.

PROGRAM.

The following program with F. M. Gandy as toastmaster, was given:

"America."
Invocation—Rev. E. E. Delong.
Selection—Orchestra.
Address of welcome—Edwin Gray.
Male quartet.
Address—John J. Richeson, Decatur.
Spice and humor—R. C. Danford, Pana.
Male quartet.
Address—Owen Scott, Decatur, grand secretary.

PROGRAM OREANA HOME BUREAU UNIT

Oreana, Dec. 12.—The Oreana Home Bureau unit met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Beadleston Tuesday afternoon. The following program was given:

Christmas duet—Mrs. E. McClelland and Miss Dot Kirby.

Business session, conducted by local chairman, Mrs. F. C. Betzer.

Report from home management school, by local leaders—Mrs. J. G. Oldweiler and Mrs. J. Duval.

At the close of the meeting a Christmas party was held, after which refreshments were served.

This was guest day and a number of visitors were present and two new members were received.

ALL DAY MEETING.

An all-day meeting will be held at the Christian church next Sunday. Annual reports of the church and Sunday school and all other auxiliary organizations of the church will be read, also officers for the church and Sunday school will be elected for the coming year.

A basket dinner will be served in the basement at noon.

L. F. Rainey of Milwaukee, Wis., visited relatives and friends here the latter part of last week.

Lawrence Betzer has had a radio installed in his home southeast of town.

William Melhorn of Walnut was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stellwagon of Decatur was the guest of Miss Alice Strope Sunday afternoon.

Christmas entertainments are being prepared by the two churches here.

Mrs. T. O. Flinn spent several days of last week with relatives in Decatur.

W. P. Waller and family visited relatives in Maroa Sunday.

James Davis of Forsyth has opened a barber shop here.

Miss Grace Phillips is spending this week with relatives in Decatur.

DALTON CITY

Mrs. Adrian of Mt. Carmel, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Blackard.

Mrs. Lee Ivey of Brownstown, Ill., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Armstrong last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Phillips and Mrs. Jessie L. Wilson attended the sale at Lake City Wednesday.

Mrs. Dorothy Shepherd of Decatur spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Armstrong, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Burress and son Alvin were callers to the Decatur and Macon County hospital to visit their daughter, Mrs. James Crum.

Miss Anna Smith and Lloyd Pasley, both of this place, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. Pasley's parents, Saturday, Dec. 6.

Mrs. Lola Virden and children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Virden in Decatur.

Miss Belva Burress is spending several weeks with Mrs. J. A. Crum and family.

Mrs. Jessie L. Wilson and Mrs. Beluah Davis and daughter Sarah Emily were Decatur callers Saturday night.

Mrs. Pearle Sutherland of Pontiac returned to her school Monday after her illness.

Mrs. G. W. Burress and daughter Lucy, son Alvin, and Marion Barrett spent Sunday in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. James Crum, the former being in the hospital.

Miss Mabel Stevens returned to her home in Parkersburg, Ill., Wednesday, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Cokley several weeks.

Marcella Dwyer and Mabel Stevens were in Lethany Saturday.

Linebell Hight was a Decatur caller Wednesday.

Mrs. P. J. Vollmer was in Decatur Wednesday.

Mrs. Chap Campbell and daughter Bessye were Decatur callers Saturday.

J. F. Ferguson and daughter Mrs. Wilson spent Wednesday in Mt. Auburn.

Charley Moody was called to Decatur Saturday on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Julia Moody.

Miss Inez Martin is spending several days in Decatur.

Steve Dugga of Mt. Zion was a caller here Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Kaigley spent last week in Decatur with her little grandson who underwent an operation last week.

COWDEN

Born, Dec. 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nichols a daughter, at the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fluckey. Mrs. Nichols formerly was Miss Marie Fluckey.

Mrs. Cora Frizzill returned home Sunday night, after an absence of nearly two months, she underwent an operation for gallstones at the Litchfield hospital, but for the last three weeks has been at the home of her brother, Dr. Henry Turney at Coffeen.

C. L. and Mrs. Moore and Miss Ardath Frye were Pana visitors Wednesday.

The W. H. M. S. met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Electa Flenniken with Mrs. May High and Estella McNear, assistant hostesses.

Rev. B. F. Ray has been confined to his home for the last week.

The Cowden basket ball team will play the Beecher City team Friday night at Becher City.

Clyde Howe, Forest Nichols and Miss Freda Moore were St. Louis visitors Saturday.

C. C. Sherls shipped a carload of Hereford yearlings to Chicago Tuesday. He went with them.

DISCUSS MADDEN FOR HOUSE SPEAKER

Washington, Dec. 12—Plans for advancing the candidacy of Chairman Madden, of the house appropriations committee for speaker in the next congress were discussed today at a meeting of the Illinois congressional delegation.

Facing the certainty that Ohio delegation shortly will launch a movement to elevate Representative Longworth, the Republican floor leader, to the speakership and that Representative Wood of Indiana also may become a candidate, the Illinois members decided to lose no time in getting their campaign under way.

SHELBY GIRL GETS $1,000 FOR NAME

Pauline Pogue Submits Title for Story.

Shelbyville, Dec. 12. — A telegram was received by Miss Pauline Pogue of this city on Wednesday, informing her that she had won a prize of $1,000 in the "story without a name" contest recently carried on by the Photoplay Magazine. "The Phantom Powers" was the name submitted by Miss Pogue and she was awarded the second prize in the contest. The story was read by many Shelbyville people, and the consensus of opinion seems to be that Miss Pogue's title is very appropriate.

Miss Pogue is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pogue of Uvalde, Texas, but is attending the Sparks College in Shelbyville. She is sixteen years old, and is a graduate of the Uvable high school.

100 MEN AT BANQUET.

One hundred men were present at the banquet held at the Methodist church Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Men's Bible class, and it is declared by those present that the program arranged and given was the best for the present year.

R. C. Sayre, superintendent of the Sunday school, presided, and J. Stanley Mitchell, pastor of the Presbyterian church, offered the invocation. Two little misses, Virginia Baker and Dorothy Anderson, delighted everyone with their sweet song. The Methodist men's quartet, composed of W. P. Aichele, Edgar Christman, H. O. Kruzan and Stanley Pontius, sang "Far Away in the South," and responsed with an encore. E. N. Herron gave one of his usual interesting, snappy talks, telling of the activities of the men's class and paid a fine compliment to his associate teacher, Judge F. R. Dove, and to G. W. Cook, the class president.

DR. SMITH TALKS.

Other short talks were made by Shelbyville men and then the principal speaker of the evening was introduced, Dr. Chesteen Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Decatur. His subject was, "America, the Land of Privilege." Mr. Smith toured Europe recently and he showed how the various peoples of Europe lack the privileges, social, economic, political educational and religious, that are enjoyed by the citizens of the United States. He stressed the obligations of Americans to use and not abuse their privileges.

F. B. Madden, the local pastor, pronounced the benediction.

A sumptuous three-course banquet was served by a group of ladies from the Aid Society, with Mrs. Leslie Tallman and Mrs. Edgar Christman in charge.

DURST FUNERAL.

Funeral services for Mrs. Charles Durst, who passed away at her home in Shelbyville Sunday evening after a brief illness, were held Tuesday afternoon, with Mr. Sweet, minister of the gospel, in charge. The services were held from the Oak Grove church. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Forsyth, Mrs. John D. Miller and S. B. Carr. Misses Iris Manning, Hilma Miller, Dorothy Elliott and Inez Elliott had charge of the flowers. Pall bearers were E. A. Jenkins, Ben Bowman, Walter Steele, George Augenstein, Ed Elliott and Romie Carpenter. Interment was in the Oak Grove cemetery.

PROGRAM DEWITT Y. P. INSTITUTE

Clinton, Dec. 12.—The program for the institute of the Young People's Division of the Dewitt County Sunday School association to be held here next Saturday has been announced. The conference is to be held in the First Christian church under direction of Leon C. Tyler, superintendent of the young people's division. The program commences at 10 o'clock and it is expected that members from over Dewitt county will be in attendance. Mrs. Raymond Watson, superintendent of the Dewitt county division is in charge of the local arrangements.

10 a. m. Worship service—Rev. J. Wayne Staley.

Address, "Training and Significance of Young People's Division"—Leon C. Tyler.

Address, "Objectives of Work with Young People"—Jessie Wylie.

Address, "Organization Principles"—Leon C. Tyler.

1:30 p. m. Devotions—F. E. Fenner.

Address, "Organization Principles (continued)—Leon C. Tyler.

Address, "Planning and Teaching the Lesson"—Jessie Wylie.

Address, "Elements of Young People's Program"—Leon C. Tyler.

Address, "The Leaders Reward"—Jessie Wylie.

NEW OFFICERS.

The Home Economics club at its last regular session elected officers for the year 1925 as follows: President, Mrs. S. E. Murry; vice president, Mrs. A. E. Shell; second vice president, Mrs. H. H. Edmunds; recording secretary, Mrs. Fred Musson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. D. C. Dillingham; treasurer, Mrs. B. G. Chambers.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.

Damon Temple No. 27, Pythian Sisters held election of officers at their regular meeting in the K. P. hall Monday evening resulting as follows: M. E. C., Mrs. Lewis Armstrong; E. S., Mrs. Thomas Brooks; E. J., Mrs. A. E. Sprague; M. R. & C. Mrs. James Bates; M. of F., Mrs. Herman Querfield; manager, Mrs. Mable Smith; proprietor, Miss Myra Hickman; guard, Mrs. Nettie Shell; staff captain, Mrs. Mary I. Phares; pianist, Mrs. H. M. Gleadell; installing officer, Mrs. Almanda Murry.

MONROE PECK DEAD NEAR MONTICELLO

Monticello, Dec. 12.—Monroe Peck died Friday morning at his home in Willow Branch township. He was eighty-nine years of age. The funeral will be held at the residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. E. Bradley. Burial will be in Monticello.

Mr. Peck was born in Roscoe, O., Feb. 23, 1835. He was married to Mary M. Williams Sept. 20, 1869. To them were born four children, Otto of Willow Branch township, Ervin of Genso, Colo., and Owen and Everett at home.

CLINTON

The holiday vacation this year will be longer than usual due to Christmas and New Years both coming on Thursday. School is to be dismissed early enough on Wednesday the 24th to permit teachers to catch their trains for home and will not be in session again until Monday, Jan. 5.

Deputy Sheriff B. S. Meeker of Delevan came to Clinton Thursday and returned with Casper Williams, alias John Wilson, who is wanted in that city on a charge of forgery. Sheriff Bert Taylo arrested Wilson on Wednesday.

Arthur A. Umshler, superintendent of Chicago terminals for the Illinois Central and five other Chicago men arrived in Clinton Thursday evening where they were joined by J. J. Bell, the party motoring to Havana for a duck hunt of several days.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION.

State's Attorney Wirt Herrick is planning to attend a convention of state's attorneys to be held at the Sherman hotel in Chicago, Dec. 29.

Frank Bullard and Ora Wood, blacksmiths employed at the local shops left Friday morning for Chicago where they will attend a meeting of state officers of their association.

EDUCATORS OFTEN OLD-FASHIONED

J. E. Hill Addresses Annual Meeting.

Indianapolis, Dec. 12.—Educators are often as set and as out of date in their customs as are farmers, J. E. Hill, Illinois state supervisor of vocational education, told educators from every state gathered here today for the annual meeting of the Society for Vocational Education.

"The farmer," Mr. Hill said, "Has long been too conservative. The average farmer refuses to change the ration he has been feeding his cattle, because the old ration has been used for so long that it has become a habit. In the same way many of our schools are dilatory in changing their educational ration, to provide education for a greater number of people.

RURAL HIGH SCHOOLS.

"Many of the rural high schools in Illinois have been content to rest upon the reputation established by the public schools, adhering to the habits established by high schools serving an entirely different class of pupils.

"They continue to offer the same courses in the same way to all who will enroll for the full time course. This in spite of the fact that it is not a scientific educational ration for the farm community. The schools should endeavor to broaden its scope and make pupils of those who have already entered the vocation of farming.

"The census report for 1920 showed that only forty-three per cent of the farm boys and girls of high school age were enrolled in school. More than half of all the farm children are not obtaining the educational advantages which our schools are theoretically supposed to offer to all. Many of them remain at home because they are unable to carry high school work, but the greater portion of them are at home because they have to work, or because of a financial handicap.

MRS. BELLE HENDRIX DIES NEAR MAROA

Maroa, Dec. 12—Mrs. Belle Hendrix, wife of William Hendrix, Jr., died at 6:30 o'clock Friday morning at the family home five miles northwest of Maroa after a week's illness.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gieding of near Maroa and was born on the Magill farm four miles north east of Maroa. When a child her parents moved to the farm on which she died. On March 23, 1911 she was married to William Hendrix, Jr., and the couple have resided on the home farm since that time.

She is survived by her husband, her father and mother, two young children, boy and a girl, two brothers, ... both of Chicago and two sisters, Mrs. Lola ... of ... and ..., living at home.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon from the Methodist church in Maroa.

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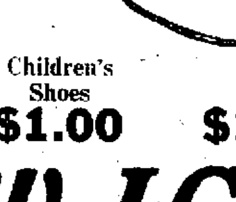
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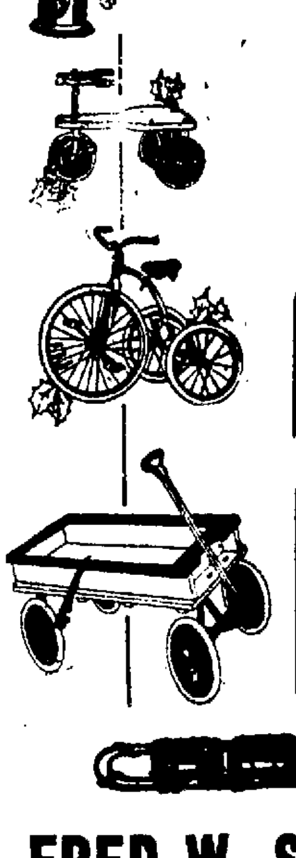
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GRAIN PRICES UP AGAIN

Wheat Advances to $1.45—Corn Now Quoted At $1.07.

After slipping down Thursday, the grain market jumped ahead Friday to new high marks. Wheat advanced to $1.45, oats to 52 cents and corn to $1.07. Other local markets were unchanged.

Grain

No. 2 hard wheat, old or new	$1.45
Oats, new white	.52
New corn, No. 1	1.07

Live Stock.

Choice young hogs 200@225	$ 8.50	
Choice young hogs 225@250	9.00	
Heavy sows	7.00@	7.50
Light pigs 150 lbs	7.50	
Choice cows 800 to 1000 lbs.	3.00@	8.50
Choice steers 700-800 lbs.	6.50@	7.00
Medium steers 700@800 lbs	5.00@	6.00
Choice heifers 700 to 825 lbs	6.00@	6.50
Good heifers 700-800 lbs	5.00@	5.50
Medium cows, 800-1000 lbs	2.50@	2.75
Cutters	2.00@	3.00
Bulls	3.00@	4.00
Spring lambs	9.00@	10.00
Veal calves	6.00@	8.00
Canners	1.00@	2.00

Butter and Eggs.

Eggs, No. 1 (not washed) dozen	.55
Eggs, No. 2 dozen	.50
Shipping butter	.16
Butter fat, f. o. b. Decatur	.43

Poultry

Hens, over 4½ pounds	.19
Hens, under 4½ pounds	.16
Smooth springs, over 4½ pounds	.19
Smooth springs, under 4½ pounds	.15
Leghorn hens	.14
Leghorn and black springs	.14
Old roosters	.09
Geese, over 8 lbs.	.12
Geese, under 8 lbs.	.09
Ducks, over 4½ lbs.	.12
Ducks, under 4½ lbs	.10
Live pigeons, dozen	.75

Hides.

Green	.07
Cured beef No. 1	.08
Calf skin, 8 to 15 lbs.	.09
Horse hides	3.00

ANDREWS GRAIN CO. IS INCORPORATED

To Conduct Business at Walker; Has $50,000 Capital.

The Andrews Grain Co., of Walker was incorporated in Springfield Thursday to operate an elevator and warehouse at Walker. The capital stock is $50,000 of which Homer Andrews of Walker holds $25,000, Matilda H. Andrews of Macon holds $24,900 and Mamie C. Andrews of Macon holds $100.

PASS $124,000,000 AGRICULTURAL BILL

House Okehs Appropriation Measure.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The agricultural appropriation bill, carrying $124,000,000, of which $50,000,000 would be available for road construction, was passed Thursday by the House.

The bill, as sent to the senate, would appropriate about $50,000,000 more than last year's measure, but carries several million dollars less than the budget estimate.

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Dec. 12—POULTRY—Alive: lower; fowls, 15@19½c; springs, 20½@21c; roosters, 14½c; turkeys, 26c; geese 17c; ducks 17c.

POTATOES—Trade slow, dull; receipts, 60 cars; total U. S. shipments, 473; Minnesota sacked round whites, ordinary to good 90c@$1; sacked Red River Ohio's, $1.10@1.15; Wisconsin sacked round whites, fair to good 90c@$1; Idaho sacked russets mostly frozen, $1.75@2.50.

BUTTER—High; creamery extras 41c; standards, 39c; extra firsts, 39@40c; firsts 35@36½c; seconds, 31@33c.

EGGS—Unsettled, receipts 1,713 cases; firsts, 53@56c; ordinary firsts 35@40c; refrigerator extras, 36½@37½c; firsts, 34½@35½c.

New York Produce.

New York, Dec. 12—BUTTER—Firmer; receipts 9,537; creamery higher than extras 45@45½c; creamery extras 92 score, 44½c; do firsts, 88 to 91 score, 38@43½c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts 8,857.

CHEESE—Firm, receipts 70,712.

LIVE POULTRY—Firm; express chickens, 22@25c; broilers, 35c; fowls, leghorns, 17@20c.

No freight arrivals.

Dressed steady; unchanged.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Dec. 12—Raw and refined sugar unchanged.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Dec. 12—CLOVER SEED—Cash old $19.00; new, $19.05; December, $19.05; February $19.15 bid.

TIMOTHY SEED—Cash $3.25; December $3.25; March $3.40.

St. Louis Hay.

St. Louis, Dec. 12—HAY—Receipts, 17 cars, including 11 timothy and 6 alfalfa. Steady prices prevailed, good hay selling readily enough, but lower grades sluggish. Sales: Timothy—3 cars No. 2 at $17, 1 car do at $18, 2 cars do at $19, 1 car do at $20, part car standard at $21, 3 cars do at $22, 1 car No. 1 at $23, 1 car do at $24. Alfalfa—2 cars No. 2 at $18, 1 car No. 1 at $25. Prairie—1 car No. 2 at $11.

Metal Markets.

New York, Dec. 12—COPPER—Firm; electrolytic spot and nearby 14¾c; futures 14⅞@15c.

TIN—Easy; spot and futures $55.37.

IRON—Steady; unchanged.

LEAD—Firm; spot $9.90@9.25.

ZINC—Firm; East St. Louis spot $7.30; futures $7.30@7.52.

ANTIMONY—Spot $11.37.

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, Dec. 12—Bar silver 68⅜c; Mexican dollars 53c.

DEEDS RECORDED

William Bantner to Louis Lichtenberger lot 15, block 2, H. A. Wood's addition; $1.

Louis Lichtenberger to William Bantner, lot 7, North Side addition; $1.

I. W. Clokey to A. W. Hendricks, lots 1 and 2, block 7, Elson Heights; $1.

G. W. Koons to A. W. Hendricks, lot 26 Bourne & Stroh's addition; $700.

Effie R. Powers to Alex Van Praag, Jr. lot 28, block 7, John's second addition; $1.

W. L. Dennis to S. C. May, lot 7, block 4, Riverside Place; $1.

Charles Long to C. O. Mitchell W. half N. E. quarter and N. E. quarter, N. E. quarter 5, 17, 4 east; $1.

E. F. Drobisch to N. W. Deyton, lot 20, block 1, Elson Heights; $1.

Elmer Megrue to F. A. Lackey, north 80 feet of lot 12, block 14, Maroa; $850.

A. W. Hendricks to A. E. Staley, 144 lots in Elson Heights; also two strips of land and 31 lots in Bourne & Stroh's addition; $1.

J. D. Johnson to M. A. Nickey, tract in 8, 16, 3 east; $1.

O. E. Wolcott to Clara Hill Bohann, part of lot 4, R. J. Oglesby's addition; $1.

[illegible] a Ryan to Louis Lichtenberger, lot 4, North Side addition; $1.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Lamson Bros & Co.)

Chicago, Dec. 12—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

WHEAT—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Dec.	159¾@.....	163¼	159¾	163¼	160
May	164½@164⅝	168¾	164½	168⅝	164⅝
July	144½@144⅝	148⅛	144½	148	144¼
CORN—					
Dec.	122 @121⅞	126⅞	121⅞	126⅞	122⅝
May	127 @126⅞	130⅞	126⅞	130⅞	127⅛
July	127 @126⅞	131	126⅞	131	127⅛
OATS—					
Dec.	57⅛@.....	59⅛	57⅛	59⅛	57⅛
May	62⅞@62⅝	65⅛	62⅝	65⅛	63
July	61½@.....	63⅝	61½	63½	61⅝
RYE—					
Dec.	135 @.....	137	135	137	135⅛
May	138½@.....	141⅜	138½	141½	138⅝
LARD—					
Jan.	1595@.....	1647	1590	1640	1605
May	1625@.....	1675	1615	1670	1630
RIBS—					
Jan.	.....@.....	....	....	1425	1432
May	.....@.....	....	....	1475	1470

WHEAT CLOSE RUNS STRONG

Chicago, Dec. 12—(1:30 P. M.)—Grain markets were on the upgrade from the start today and with a decided enlargement in commission house buying wheat went to a new high price record for the season. Shortly before the close May delivery of wheat commanded $1.68¾ a bushel, an advance of 4 cents to 4⅜c since yesterday's finish.

The opening which ranged from ¼c decline to ⅜c advance with May $1.64½@1.65 and July $1.44½@⅝ was followed by material gains all around.

Subsequently the market continued to work higher and demand broadened to a notable degree, notwithstanding that new peak prices for the season were reached. Houses that usually act for exporters were free buyers of future deliveries.

The close was strong 3⅛@3½ net higher, May $1.67@1.68⅛, and July $1.48@⅛.

Corn sympathized with wheat strength. Reports of further rain in Argentine had only a transient bearish effect. After opening unchanged to ⅞c lower, May $1.26¾@1.27, the market scored a moderate general advance.

Reports of active demand from feeders led to additional upturns in price later and new high price records for the season were attained by corn as well as wheat. Corn closed strong 3½c to 4¼c net higher, May $1.30¾@⅞.

Oats started unchanged to ¼c off, May 62¾@⅞. Later all months showed an upturn.

Provisions were strong.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, Dec. 12—Preliminary estimates carlot receipts here today: Wheat, 70; corn 233; oats, 125; rye, 25; barley, 16.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Dec. 12—WHEAT—2 hard $1.63½@1.64; 3 hard $1.61½@1.62.

CORN—2 mixed $1.24¾@1.25; 3 mixed $1.21@1.21½; 4 mixed $1.18⅞@1.19½; 5 mixed $1.15½@1.17; 6 mixed $1.13@1.15; 2 yellow $1.25@1.26; 3 yellow $1.22@1.23¼; 4 yellow $1.19@1.24¾; 5 yellow, $1.15½@1.22; 6 yellow $1.18@1.14½; 2 white, $1.25; 3 white, $1.22½; 4 white, $1.19@1.19⅛; 5 white, $1.16½@1.21½; sample grade $1.08@1.13½.

OATS—2 white, 60@61½c; 3 white, 57½@58½c; 4 white, 56@57½c.

RYE—3, $1.31½@1.32.

BARLEY—86@93c.

TIMOTHY—$5.85@7.00.

CLOVER—$24.75@32.00.

LARD—$16.35.

RIBS—$14.50.

BELLIES—$15.75.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 12—CORN—Receipts, 93 cars; 1 to 1½c lower; 3 white $1.20½; 4 yellow $1.17½@1.18½; 5 yellow $1.14@1.15½; 6 yellow $1.12@1.12½; 4 mixed $1.17½; 5 mixed, $1.14½@1.15; sample, $1.02@1.11.

OATS—Receipts, 5 cars; inactive with no trade.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, Dec. 12—WHEAT—No. 2 hard $1.55@1.00; 2 red $1.72@1.76; December $1.55½ asked; May $1.50¾ asked; July $1.41.

CORN—No. 2 white $1.15@1.17; 2 yellow $1.17@1.18; 3 yellow $1.16@1.17; 2 mixed $1.15@1.17½; December $1.18; split bid; May $1.24 asked; July $1.24⅝ bid.

OATS—No. 2 white 50½; 3 white 50.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Dec. 12—WHEAT—No. 2 red $1.80@1.85; 3 red $1.76@1.80.

CORN—No. 3 white $1.20; No. 2 yellow $1.24½.

OATS—No. 2 white 62½@63; 3 white 60@61½.

CLOSE WHEAT—December $1.61¾; May $1.67⅝.

CORN—December $1.23½; May $1.30⅝.

OATS—December, 50½; May 65½.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Dec. 12—WHEAT—Receipts 257 cars; cash 1 northern $1.61@1.62; 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy $1.78@1.85; 1 dark hard Montana on track $1.63@1.77, to arrive $1.63½@1.77; December $1.60; May $1.55¼.

CORN—No. 3 yellow $1.22½@1.25½.

OATS—No. 3 white 55¾.

Flour—Unchanged.

New York Cotton.

New York, Dec. 12—COTTON—Futures opened firm, December 22.90 bid; January 22.95; March 23.34; May 23.80; July 23.92.

COTTON—Spot steady; middling 23.70.

Futures closed steady; December 23.20 to 23.21; January 23.25@23.30; March 23.67@23.68; May 24.00@24.02; July 24.14@24.15.

GALESBURG ARRESTS MURDER SUSPECT

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 12—A man who police say bears a strong resemblance to Harney Constantino, an Italian wanted in Springfield, Ill., for the murder of George Xamis of that city, is being held in the city jail here pending an investigation. The prisoner denies he is Constantino and claims his name is Sam Palivas. He refuses to state whether he has ever been in Springfield.

GRACE GULLER ON RADIO PROGRAM

On WMAQ Program Between 9:15 And 10 O'clock Tonight.

Miss Grace Guller, former Decatur girl, will broadcast two piano numbers over the Chicago Daily News radio, WMAQ, between 9:15 and 10 o'clock Friday night. Her selections are "Hungarian Rhapsody No. 10" by Liszt and "Etude Japonaise" by Poldini.

The Music Teachers' federation of Chicago is furnishing the program Friday night in which Miss Guller takes part. On last Nov. 14, the Hyde Park girls' glee club, under the direction of Miss Guller, broadcast several selections and at that time, Decatur friends heard Miss Guller.

MARKET SEES BUYING ORDERS

Industrials Register Some Violent Price Gains.

New York, Dec. 12.—Maintenance of the local Federal Reserve re-discount rate at three per cent, setting at rest rumors that it would be advanced, brought a flood of buying orders into today's market. West Pennsylvania Power jumped four points to a record top at 108, and American Car and Foundry, American Can, Sears Roebuck and Seaboard Air Line preferred all opened a point or more higher.

SURGE UPWARD.

Prices continued to surge upward throughout the early trading, West Penn Power extending its gain to six points. Nickel Plate and Erie second preferred climbed 2 each, new tops. More than a score of issues climbed a point or more. Commercial Solvents A., jumped five to a new top. U. S. Realty common jumped 4 points and the preferred 2½. Foreign exchanges opened lower.

BULLISH SENTIMENT.

With bullish sentiment encouraged by the overnight announcement of a series of extra dividends distributions and the decision of a special master holding the $1 gas law in this city unconstitutional, the demand for stocks assumed broad proportions and resulted in some violent advances among industrials. West Pennsylvania Power extended its gain to 8 points and Commercial Solvents A to 5, while U. S. Realty, American Car and Foundry and United Drug sold 3 to 4½ points above last night's close.

The Van Swearingen stocks attracted the major speculative interest in rails buying being influenced by the expectation that the Erie directors would approve the proposed lease at today's meeting. Nickel Plate common soared 5½ points to a new top. Erie first and second preferred each advanced 3½ points, new maximum quotations. Good buying also developed for the anthracite carriers.

Call money renewed at 3½ percent.

The close was strong.

LAST SALES

Allied Chemical & Dye	83⅝
American Can	147½
American Car & Foundry	170⅝
American Locomotive	87¼
American Smelting & Refining	86⅝
American Sugar	50
American Telephone & Telegraph	132
American Tobacco, new	84
American Water Works	38
American Woolen	9½
Anaconda Copper	41½
Atchison	117
Atlantic Coast Line	140
Baldwin Locomotive	123
Baltimore & Ohio	79
Bethlehem Steel	48½
California Petroleum	21⅜
Canadian Pacific	150
Central Leather pfd	57
Cerro de Pasco	51
Chandler Motor	31½
Chesapeake & Ohio	98⅛
Chicago & Northwestern	73
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul pfd	20⅝
Chicago, Rhode Island & Pacific	45¾
Chile Copper	34¼
Coca Cola	82⅝
Colorado Fuel	30
Congoleum	41½
Consolidated Gas	78½
Corn Products	41⅝
Cosden Oil	24½
Crucible Steel	72½
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd	56⅝
Davison Chemical	48
Du Pont de Nem.	134½
Erie	33⅝
Famous-Players	94
General Asphalt	57
General Electric	27⅝
General Motors	60⅝
Great Northern pfd.	71½
Gulf State Steel	81
Houston Oil	78⅝
Hudson Motors	34½
Illinois Central	115⅞
International Harvester	106½
International Mercantile Marine pfd.	44½
Invincible Oil	14⅝
Kelly-Springfield	17⅛
Kennecott Copper	50⅝
Lehigh Valley	75
Louisville & Nashville	104½
Mack Truck	115
Marland Oil	35⅝
Maxwell Motors "A"	80⅝
Mexican Seaboard Oil	19⅝
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30⅝
Missouri Pacific pfd.	71½
Montgomery Ward	41⅝
National Biscuit	71½
National Lead	150½
New York Central	116⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	29
Norfolk & Western	128½
North American	42⅝
Northern Pacific	69½
Pacific Oil	50⅝
Pan. American Petroleum "B"	58
Pennsylvania	48½
Philadelphia & Reading, C. & I.	47
Phillips Pet	31½
Pure Oil	25⅛
Reading	69
Republic Iron & Steel	55⅝
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	77
St. Louis & San. Francisco	62⅛
Seaboard Air Line	22
Sears Roebuck	130⅝
Sinclair Con.	15⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	80
Southern Pacific	102½
Southern Railway	77½
Standard Oil, Cal.	59⅝
Standard Oil, N. J.	36½
Stewart Warner	64⅝
Studebaker	44
Texas Company	42
Texas & Pacific	43
Tobacco Products	70⅛
Transcontinental Oil	4
Union Pacific	147¼
United Drug	116½
United States Cast Iron Pipe	130
United States Ind. Alcohol	82½
United States Rubber	38⅝
United States Steel	117⅝
Utah Copper	83⅝
Wabash pfd. "A"	57
Westinghouse Electric	68⅝
Willys-Overland	10⅝
Woolworth	114⅝

LIBERTY BONDS

New York, Dec. 12—Liberty bonds closed:

3½s, $100.28.

First 4s, $101.12 bid.

Second 4s, $100.22.

First 4¼s, $101.23.

Second 4¼s, $100.27.

Third 4¼s, $101.5.

Fourth 4¼s, $101.31.

New 4¼s, $105.7

MONEY MARKET.

New York, Dec. 12—Call money steady; high, low, ruling rate, closing bid, last loan 3½; offered at 3⅝; call loans against acceptances 3; time loans firm; mixed collaterals, 60-90 days 3½@3½; 4-6 months, 3¾; prime commercial paper 3½@3⅝.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 12—Foreign exchange regular.

Great Britain demand $4.68⅝.

Cables $4.68¾.

France demand 5.31.

Italy demand 4.30½.

Belgium demand 4.92½.

Germany demand 23.81.

Holland 40.12.

Norway 15.11.

Sweden 26.93.

Denmark 17.56.

Switzerland 19.36.

Spain 14.13.

Greece 1.82.

Poland 19¼.

Czecho-Slovakia 3.02½.

Argentina 38.62.

Brazil 11.50.

Tokio 38⅜.

Montreal 99 15-32.

Local Notices

DANCE AT SILVERMOON.

Tonight, Illi-Noisy Seven, new orchestra. Have you heard them? Oh! Boy! Ain't they good? That's what they all say. Hours, 8:30 to no time.

OPENING DANCE SATURDAY.

Eagles' Club, 243 S. Water, Society Entertainers from Peoria will play, 8:30-12:00. Gents, 75c; Ladies, 35c.

Dance at Redmen hall Sat. night. Adm. 35c. Union music.

FUNERALS

Mrs. M. D. Oakleaf—At 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the residence, 737 North Main street.

CHICAGO HOG PRICES GAIN

Receipts 62,000—Top At $10—Cattle Steady.

Chicago, Dec. 12—HOGS—Receipts, 62,000; steady to 10c higher; top $10.00; bulk 225 to 325 pound butchers $9.55@9.90; 140 to 170 pound weights $7.25@8.00; bulk packing sows $9.00@9.25; majority strong weight slaughter pigs, $6.50@7.00; heavy hogs $9.70@10.00; medium $8.90@9.95; light $7.50@9.45; light lights $6.50@8.50; packing hogs smooth $9.10@9.35; rough $8.90@9.10; slaughter pigs $6.00@7.25.

CATTLE—Receipts, 7,000; steers dull; few sales steady to weak; choice yearlings $1.00 or more under week; very slow at decline; no choice kind offered, bulk downward; some held around $13.00; medium to choice weighty steers being held off market; fat cows mostly $3.75@4.75; bull trade lifeless; vealers steady; choice to packers up to $9.50; less desirable light offerings downward to $8.50 and below.

SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; fat lambs steady to 25c higher; bulk fat natives and fed westerns $15.75@16.00; top $16.25; fat sheep and feeding lambs steady; bulk fat ewes $6.50@8.50; feeding lambs $14.75@15.50; full mouth breeding ewes $8.75.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, Dec. 12—HOGS—Receipts 18,000; steady; top $9.85; bulk 180 lbs. and up $9.50@9.70; lights and pigs, active, mostly 15c higher; packer sows, $8.85@9.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; most steers on hand hold overs; no market, packers showing little interest in beef cows, bulls steady canners steady to strong bulk $2.25@2.50; top light vealers $9.75; bulk $9.25@9.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; steady, no western lambs on sale, best native wool lambs, $15.50; two loads good clipped, $12.75; best fat ewes, $8.00@8.50.

Horses and Mules.

St. Louis, Dec. 12—Native Horse Quotations—Good to choice drafts, $125@175, medium to good drafts, $85@125; good to choice chunks, $80@85; medium to good chunks, $40@60; choice Southern horses, $80@45; fair to good Southern horses, $30@45; smooth-mouthed Southerners, $20@30; plugs, $5@15.

Native Mule Quotations—Draft mules, 16 to 17 hands, $175@225; sugar mules, 16 to 16.2 hands, $165@200; mine mules, 15 to 15.2 hands $125@150; top cotton mules, 15.2 to 16 hands, $140@175; cotton mules, 15 to 15.2 hands, $80@140; small, cheap mules $25@65.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, Dec. 12—HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; steady; heavies, $9.40@10.00; lights $8.95@9.10; top, $10.00; pigs, $5.00@7.75.

CATTLE—Receipts, 900; slow, unevenly lower; steers, $6.00@9.50; cows and heifers, $3.50@8.50; veals, $7.00@12.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 800; steady; sheep, $3.00@7.00; lambs, $10.00@15.00.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Dec. 12—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; mostly plain; beef steers and yearlings steady with week's decline; bulk fed steers, $6.50@8.25; top yearlings $9.00; she stock bulls and veals slow; steady; butcher cows and heifers $3.25@5.50; practical top veals, $9.00; heavy calves, 25c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; steady; 5@10c higher; packer and shipper top $9.60; bulk sales $9.00@9.55; bulk 180 to 300 pound averages, $9.15@9.55; packing sows $8.90@9.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; lambs steady to strong; choice Colorado to shippers, $15.25; clippers, $12.50.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 12—HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; steady; top $9.65; lights $7.50@9.05; mediums $9.00@9.55; heavies, $9.50@9.65; packers, $8.40@9.00.

CATTLE—Nominal; weak to 25c lower; calf top $9.00.

PARK OVERTIME; FOURTEEN ARRESTS

Evidently Busy Shopping For Christmas.

Now that the Christmas shopping is in full swing, automobile owners seem to have forgotten the one-hour parking rule. Fourteen arrests were made by the police Friday forenoon for violations of this rule. The persons arrested were:

Art Birt, 1649 East Main; J. F. Lewis, 1514 North Water; G. R. Payne, 240 West Prairie; S. F. Pistorius, 372 North Oakland; R. B. Pease, 123 Cobb avenue; Ervah Biller, 432 West Center; J. L. Drake, 429 West Macon; R. N. Kellogg, 1034 South Franklin; E. F. Drobisch, 351 West William; Claude Ruble, Empress apartments; A. R. Runkel, 1137 North Main; Elliott McKee, 940 West Main; M. E. Harvell, 103 Woodlawn avenue; J. H. Neiman, 1383 West Forest.

Mr. Birt gave bond to appear before Justice Lloyd Dec. 18. The others pleaded guilty and each paid a fine of $4.15.

SANTA TO REPRESENT NOKOMIS P.-T. A.

Nokomis, Dec. 12—Representing the Nokomis Parent Teachers' association a real Santa Claus will commence the distribution of Christmas gifts to all the scholars of the Nokomis grade schools at the south side school house on Friday afternoon, December 19th at 2:30 o'clock p. m. The association has arranged for moderate priced gifts for the occasion.

MASONS ELECT.

The Nokomis Masonic lodge, No. 456, A. F. and A. M., of this city held their annual election of officers at their lodge rooms on Wednesday evening, December 11th, when the following officers were chosen to serve for the ensuing term:

James Swarhrick—Worshipful Master.

L. A. Beatty, Senior Warden.

R. V. King—Junior Warden.

Roy H. Callihan—Treasurer.

Alva Randle—Secretary.

The newly elected officers will be installed about the commencement of the new year

WEED OUT LAWS, JEWELL SUGGESTS

Lewistown, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—There is "no necessity or demand for much new and affirmative legislation" in Illinois at this time, in the opinion of Senator W. S. Jewell of this city, who was president pro-tempore of the Senate in the last legislature.

"In my judgment," Senator Jewell said, "we have altogether too many laws at present. Some one has said with reason that 'the best form of government is that where the people are the least governed.'"

HIS SLATE.

It is his purpose to introduce some bills "to simplify the legal procedure of the state," as follows:

"To remove the restriction which today prevents a husband or wife from testifying for or against each other, which, in my judgment, has never resulted in real good and has often resulted in a mis-carriage of justice both in civil and criminal law.

"To repeal the law which provides that the jury in a criminal case it the judge both of the law and of the fact, making the jury henceforth judges of fact, and leaving the presiding judge to determine what is the law.

$300 TO $500.

"A bill to increase the jurisdiction of the justice court from $300 as now, to $500. There is no reason, in my judgment, why the justice should be limited to matters where not more than $300 is involved. The justice court is 'the poor man's court.' He can have his cause presented there with less expense and secure a more speedy determination, and also by this means the congestion of business in the circuit and county courts will be lessened.

"In several other matters I expect to try to eliminate technicalities that now exist in the legal procedure and to secure more speedy action in the courts by simplified procedure."

REPORT HUGE GAS FLOW NEAR PEORIA

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 12—A gas flow of forty million cubic feet a day is reported to have been struck at 160 feet in shallow oil well operations near Washington, Ill., and state inspector L. I. Tracey of Champaign has been called to inspect the well which has been capped.

Farmers have for a long time made use of small gas flows found at shallow depths in that section.

ADMIT SECOND HIGHT CONFESSION

Mount Vernon, Ill., Dec. 12.—A second confession of Lawrence M. Hight, former Ina, Ill., minister, to the murder of Wilford Sweetin, husband of Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, on trial with him, was admitted as evidence today by Judge Kern, who ruled, however, that it was not competent as against the woman defendant.

OUTDOOR PARLEY TO MAKE SURVEY

Washington, Dec. 12.—More detailed formulation of the program agreed upon for a three year survey of the recreational facilities of the country and the possibilities of their extension occupied the concluding sessions here today of the meeting of the advisory council of the National Conference on Outdoor Recreation.

The program included an address by Theodore Roosevelt and consideration of numerous committee reports.

STOCK MARKET PRICES ADVANCE

New York, Dec. 12—(2 p. m.)—The stock market today shook off the restraint imposed by the fear of an increase in the New York Federal Reserve re-discount rate, prices advancing 1 to 8 points in reflection of series of favorable trade developments.

ENGLAND WANTS TO KEEP OLD LETTERS

London, Nov. 22—(AP Mail)— Nine letters signed and subscribed by the ill-fated Mary Queen of Scots are shortly to be offered to the British nation and, in order to secure them, together with twenty-one other documents connected with the queen, a fund of $11,000 L. being raised by popular subscription.

The documents come from the archives of the family of Mure of Rowalan. They have never been offered for sale before, few of them have been published, and all throw fresh light on one of the most keenly debated episodes in British history.

Repeat Confessions in Early Testimony

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defendant, and weighed about 130 pounds. This was to combat the claim by Smith that "Gray Eye" was so much larger and stronger than he that he had to do his bidding.

STRUCK FROM BEHIND.

Chief Portlock's conversation with Smith was in the presence of Sheriff McNutt, Deputy Sheriff Frank Shirley of Coles county and E. B. Tucker, business manager of the Mattoon Journal-Gazette. Portlock further said that Smith admitted striking Funkhouser from behind.

DAUGHTER ON STAND.

Mrs. Mary H. Hull, a daughter of the murder victim, of Mattoon, was on the stand to tell only of her father's brief visit to her home on the morning of the murder.

Mrs. B. F. Bell, who lives a couple miles west of Mattoon, next told of the visit of a negro to her home on the morning of the murder. The fellow wanted something to eat. Mrs. Bell did not identify Smith as the man. Her daughter, Mrs. Grace Sawyer, also saw the negro, but could not identify him as Smith. (It is understood this caller was "Gray Eye," the man who has not been apprehended.)

E. C. Goff of East St. Louis, sergeant of police, testified that in the fall, while working as traffic officer, he saw the defendant in East St. Louis, in a Ford roadster, with two other negroes; that they ran past a boulevard stop and were arrested; that while they were parking at police headquarters two of the men got away, and he identified Smith as one of the two. Goff added that he took the number of the car, found it belonged in Mattoon, to which city he brought it and turned it over to the Journal-Gazette.

SAW THE NEGROES.

Wayne Young of Mattoon told the jury that on the day of the murder he was discing for his uncle, Ray Young, in a field three and a half miles west of Mattoon: that he saw two Negroes come from the east and stop at a certain culvert; that he saw a Ford runabout come from the west with a Negro in it, and pick up the other two, then turn at a road running south. He saw the two Negroes get off the running boards of the car, but did not see them get into the car. He could not identify Smith.

R. Parrine, living southwest of Windsor, saw the Ford runabout, containing Funkhouser and the three Negroes, go past him at a high rate of speed. He waved to Funkhouser and is of the opinion Funkhouser waved to him.

FUNKHOUSER'S CONDITION.

E. Everett, a physician of Lerna, Funkhouser's home town, testified that Mr. Funkhouser weighed about 115 pounds; that he knew him and that he saw his body lying face downward in the brook; that the bones of his skull were crushed on the right side and that any of at least four wounds would have caused his death. There also was a wound on the right temple.

Dr. Everett testified that Funkhouser had been dead at least sixty hours, and might have been dead for from forty-eight to sixty hours longer, as the water in which he was lying would tend to preserve the body. A post mortem was not held.

P. W. Elliott, undertaker at Mattoon, told of removing the body of Funkhkouser to Mattoon and preparing it for burial. He said the head was badly crushed and decomposition had set in. There were wounds on the neck and bruises on the shoulder and leg, with six open punctures in the head.

SAYS HE CONFESSED.

Clete Hinton, deputy sheriff of Shelby county, told of an alleged confession of Smith in the Shelby county jail, and said that when Smith was asked why he struck Funkhouser, said he was afraid of "Gray Eye." Smith said they got the money. Smith said that Funkhouser asked them what they were going to do with him, and told them to take his money but not to kill him. He said he did not get any of the money or anything else.

Raymond Volles told that he talked with Smith in the jail and that Smith admitted hitting the old man twice. When Volles suggested he had got himself in bad, he said Smith laughed, adding that "Gray Eye" told him if he did not "stay with him" he would kill him.

SHERIFF RILEY ON STAND.

Sheriff Harry Riley of Shelby county was on the stand. He told that he first saw Smith in St. Louis, where the latter confessed to him that he helped kill Funkhouser. He also told the sheriff he and "Gray Eye" had served time in an Ohio penitentiary, but the sheriff said he had been unable to find any record of such imprisonment. Sheriff Riley said he had had charge of the murderous clubs ever since they had been found at the scene of the murder.

FEW FOR DEFENSE.

It is understood that the defense will introduce only two witnesses—Drs. Theodore Thompson and W. J. Eddy of Shelbyville, who are known to have made an examination of Smith since his confinement in the local jail.

DEATHS.

LEANDER H. BUNDY.

Leander H. Bundy died Thursday morning at his home, near Oakley after a brief illness. He was unable to attend the burial of his wife, Martha A. Bundy, which was held last Saturday, and he grew rapidly worse until the end. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Oakley United Brethren church and the burial will be at the West Prairie cemetery.

Leander H. Bundy was born near Walnut Hill, Ill., Nov. 14, 1852. He passed most of his early life on a farm near Kinmundy, Ill., and came to Macon county about 1881. On July 13, 1884, he was married to Martha Ann Waggoner and to this union was born a son, Clarence M., who died in infancy.

He is survived by a brother, Lemuel Bundy, of Walback, Neb.; two half brothers, Thomas Bundy of Kinmundy and Samuel Bundy of Gillette, Wyo.; two half sisters, Mrs. Gilla Hopkins of Patoka, Ill., and Mrs. Mary Morgan of Shawnee, Okla.; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Otho Durham and Mrs. E. H. Phillips of Decatur; a stepson, James Waggoner of Oakley, and a niece, Miss Marie Bundy of Centralia.

He was a member of the North Fork Presbyterian church.

ASKING ABOUT 20TH AMENDMENT

Manufacturers News Sends Representative to Decatur.

A. Vorhauer of the Manufacturers News, the magazine of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, of which John M. Glenn is editor, is in Decatur calling on manufacturers and others to ascertain their attitude toward the twentieth amendment to the constitution of the United States.

This is an amendment that gives Congress power to regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen. Mr. Vorhauer will be here until he has interviewed most of the manufacturers and professional men of Decatur.

EXPLAIN TERMS

"We find that Illinois business men generally are under misapprehension as to the proposed amendment," said Mr. Vorhauer. "They think it is to give Congress power to regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under sixteen. When they find that the limit is fixed at eighteen they almost universally declare themselves as being against the amendment. This misapprehension as to the age no doubt comes from the fact that the Illinois state law regulates and prohibits labor of persons under sixteen.

"The amendment will come before the Illinois legislature in January for ratification or rejection. We think it will be rejected by Illinois. Forty state legislatures vote on it early in the new year. Four have already voted on it. Arkansas voted for the amendment, and Georgia, Louisiana and North Carolina voted against it."

PERSONALS

Rev. E. W. Clippinger, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will arrive in Decatur Friday evening from a week's stay in Chicago where he attended the National Conference of Presbyterian churches.

PANA DEPARTMENT TO GIVE PROGRAM

Art and Literature Division to Entertain.

Pana, Dec. 12.—The Literature Art Department of the [illegible] Woman's Club will hold its [illegible] meeting Friday evening Dec. 12, [illegible] the home of Mrs. B. P. Dowell.

Following is the program [illegible] evening.

Christmas Mus[illegible]

Life of Henry W. Longfellow Mrs. Bessie Molz

Characterization [illegible] B. P. Dowell

Roll Call Response [illegible] Longfellow's Poems

Duet, Whistling [illegible] Lillie Mae Wilson and [illegible] Cutler

A Christmas [illegible] Johnson

The Madonna [illegible]

[illegible] Radio [illegible]

FOUND STUFFED MAIL [illegible]

[illegible]

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SHE CAPTURED BANK ROBBER

A red haired woman Mrs I W Buchan 27 of Memphis, Tenn, turn detective and captured Hart Austin 28 bank robber known throughout the southwest and even up in the province of Ontario Two friends of Austin's had engaged a room at Mrs Buchan's home Then Austin (seen in inset) began coming around to see them Mrs Buchan tapped telephone wires When Austin came in one day she met him at the door with a shotgun and held him until police arrived Austin and his companions had planned to rob another bank that very day detectives say

PIATT OFFICIALS GET MOONSHINE

Three Fined and One Goes to State Farm.

Mo[illegible] ... de ... hurs ... rided ... the southeast ... county Tuesday ... quantity of mash ... rested ... lodged the ... Thursday they ... sentenced to sixty days ... and costs.

FAIRVIEW ... Wel ... raided the ... Deland ... contained ... pleaded ... was fined $[illegible] ... six months ... Vandalia

TOWN OFFICERS

At the ... Louis W. Stitt ... John N ... Stuart Mercer Sergeant at Arms Maxwell P Hitt—Treasurer Clarence Fellenbach—Adjutant

The following committees were appointed

Entertainment—Burr Peel Earl Fisher and Hiram Fleischer

Membership William Ners

Welfare Louis W Stitt

Purchasing officer—Dr P C Hawthorne

EXPANDING

To take care of their increased trade the Lewis Drug Goods Co has opened another room ... formerly occupied by Burgess & Cline insurance agents and now have it fully stocked with Christmas novelties and toys of every description Kirby Smith formerly with the ... Smith ... has been with the toy department of the ... Store ... is in charge of the new store After the holidays Mr Lewis intends to remodel the three stores ... will form one large department store and each accessible to the other

PAVED ROAD OPEN

The new paved road on Bridge ... river bridge was thrown open to the public last week It is ... feet wide and placed to one side ... future ... road has always been bad ... winter ... and those using ...

... Dr ... formerly of this place now of Champaign has been calling on old friends the last two days

Freeman ... was in town on business Thursday

John H Sale is special agent for the Mutual Casualty company of Chicago who has been working among the farmers the last month left Thursday for his home in Wisconsin to spend the holidays

He will resume work here after the holidays with headquarters at the Sackriter hotel

Ralph Mason who has been here the last week left Thursday for Mason Ill

TOWER HILL N. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

Tower Hill ... the Royal Neighbors ... elected the following officers ... ensuing year at the ... Monday evening

Oracle—Minnie Heiten

Vice Oracle—Alice True

Chancellor—Clarence McLean

Recorder—Alice Twiss

... Marshal—Mae ... Inner Sentinel—Geo ... Outer Sentinel—Ada Blach ... Messenger—Edith Cole

Physicians—Dr H S ... and Dr J A Hitt

Delegate to State Convention—Grace Cannon

Alternate—Floda Hitt

The Woman's Missionary society of the Christian church ... at the home of Mrs Minnie ... Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock

Mrs Della Northeimer is the guest of her parents at Springfield this week

Mrs ... Kennedy and Mrs Fritz Simpson drove to St Louis Tuesday They took Mr Kennedy that far on a trip he is taking to Texas where he will spend the winter

Misses Edith Morrison and Kathryn Price of Decatur visited relatives and friends in Tower Hill Sunday

Fred Simpson and Herbert Shanks attended a chicken fry at Herrick Saturday evening

Mr and Mrs George Myers and Mr and Mrs William Myers attended the funeral of H H Downs at Shelbyville Sunday afternoon

INJURED

Geo T ... fell in his restaurant Wednesday evening and dislocated his shoulder He was taken to Pana where his shoulder was put back in place and is getting along nicely

Miss Agnes Dresser teacher in the community high school spent the week end with friends at Lebanon Ill

Mrs J W Stumpf spent a couple of days last week with relatives in St Louis

The ladies Legion of the Christian church gave a handkerchief sale and served lunch in the evening Thursday.

L W Morrison visited in Decatur several days last week

James Brownlee and sister have moved in the W O Shanks property in the south part of town

Mrs W S Waters has recovered from an acute attack of indigestion

Born to Mr and Mrs Oscar Peel south of town a son Sunday Dec 7

COUPLE MARRY AT TAYLORVILLE

Miss Van Hoosier Bride of Roy Withrow.

Taylorville Dec 12—Roy Withrow and Miss Josephine Van Hoosier both young people of this city were married at 10 30 o'clock Thursday morning at the Baptist parsonage Rev B F Tilley performing the single ring ceremony

They were attended by Donald Van Hoosier brother of the bride and Miss Bessie Love

The bride wore a beautiful pale blue crepe dress trimmed in crystal beads and rhinestones with accessories to match

The bride is the only daughter of Mr and Mrs Lowe Van Hoosier East Vine street

The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs George Rhoades and is supply clerk for the C & I M railway

A dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents for relatives and friends of the couple

The young couple will make their home in this city

GLASGOW WINS ELECTION

Three of the old officers of the sub district miners No 5—William Daech president Jack Stanley, vice president and Charles Sartoru, board member—were defeated in Tuesday's election

With all the locals in but Mowequa Daech conceded the victory of his opponent Jack Glasgow of Nokomis

EXECUTOR NAMED

John Boyle of Stonington is named executor of the will of Mrs Margaret Evans of Stonington who died in the St Vincent hospital here several days ago

The estate is valued at several thousand dollars Various bequests are made in the will to friends and relatives

All the real estate is to be sold and divided equally among the heirs

NEED 100 ASSISTANTS

About 100 extra helpers will be added to the clerical force of this city for the purpose of serving the holiday trade

HELP NEIGHBOR

Twenty four neighbors and friends of ... Bandy who has been in the hospital gathered at his home and husked and cribbed fifty acres of corn

At the noon hour the ladies served dinner to the huskers

Mr Bandy lives six miles north west of this city

MRS HILL DIES

Mrs Elizabeth Hill ninety two years old of Edinburg and known as Aunt Betsy to all her friends died at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon at her home following a long illness.

She is survived by three daughters—Mrs Isaac Gliss of Edinburg Mrs Amanda Sharp of Taylorville Mrs Emma Lundy at home and one son J P Hill of Edinburg

No funeral arrangements have been made

KEITH ENGLAND

Noah Keith Decatur and Miss Rachel England Taylorville were married at 5 30 o'clock Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents Mr and Mrs M O England 302 East Adams street Rev B F Tilley pastor of the Baptist church performing the ceremony

The couple will make their home in Decatur where the bridegroom is employed

Cause For Alarm

Mother— I'm worried over Willie's lack of intelligence

Father— Why in the world?

Mother— He's been using the same slang for a week

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The Shop-o-scope

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PUBLIC NOTICE—I will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife Mrs Alice Batson S L Batson

Strayed, Lost, Found. 10

BIRD DOG Strayed or stolen Male llewellyn setter white with black spots Reward for return H J Harrington Main 7510

BOSTON BULL DOG—Lost white spot on chest Reward Call Main 6?8 during day or Main 4373 after 6 p m

GLASSES—Shell rim in leather case lost Finder please call Ruth Holz Main 1601 Reward

GOLD WATCH Lost ... thin model ... make Reward R A Temeyer ... Ill

HOUND—young male blue tick hound lost Sunday in west part of city Phone Main 41 0

LADIES PURSE—Dark brown lost in downtown business district contained ... embroidered doily vanity case ... and small amount of money Reward Mrs Dr Colyer Garrett Ill

SHAEFFER LIFETIME FOUNTAIN PEN —left on stone writing counter in lobby of National Bank of Decatur Reward for return to B C Whitsitt Review Business Office

TICKED HOUND—Male bobbed tail Small size Lost a week ago Fair 2207 567 S Haworth

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale 11

BUICK—1922 roadster 1923 Ford coupe 1924 Chevrolet touring 1923 Chevrolet sedan model 57 Cadillac coupe Dodge touring two Nash Six sport models two Nash Six tourings Small payment down Balance monthly Nash Motor Sales Co 241 South Main Main 441

CADILLAC BARGAINS—

CADILLAC—Type 61 suburban

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415 32 E WILLIAM MAIN 722

CADILLAC SEDAN—5 passenger Model 59 Extraordinary condition Priced to sell Call Main 1024

CHEVROLET—1923 touring car You may have heard of used car bargains but you have never seen a real one like this car Fresh and clean One you can be proud of Time payments if desired Tenney & Co 138 W William

CHEVROLET COUPE—Driven 4 000 miles Several extras Also a 1924 touring like new 1923 touring with Duco finish 1922 sedan and 1922 touring Wm Frede & Son 126 N Franklin St. Main 1718

CHEVROLET TOURING—Runs fine Has just been repainted All tires are good Here is a dandy light weight economical car for someone at a big sacrifice $100 down balance monthly W. C Starr 530 N Main St Main 271

DODGE—Good used Dodge cars at right prices Guy Ferre Dodge Dealer 151 N Church Main 7..3

DODGE ROADSTER—1922 model Good year cord tires shock absorbers extra good in appearance and mechanical condition Also a 1921 Oakland sedan new cord tires 1920 Nash touring 1917 Hudson touring 1916 Paige touring Wm Frede & Son 126 N Franklin Main 1718

DODGE TOURING—1923 in first class mechanical condition Looks and runs like a new car A price that is a real bargain Small down payment balance monthly See this car W C Starr 30 N Main St Main 271

FORDS—Good used Fords $50 up Real values in some closed models Talbott-Barry 38 E Prairie Main 908

FORD TOURING—Fine running condition All tires good You can have it for $70 See it before it is too late W C Starr 30 N Main St Main 271

FORD TOURING—Starter and demountable rims Absolutely like new Also a 1923 touring with winter top 1922 touring 1921 coupe Wm Frede & Son 126 N Franklin St Main 1718

HAYNES—Late model 75 Brougham four passenger, A-1 mechanically cord tires good has had excellent care driven 9 000 miles See it J G Starr & Son 1 2 South Franklin street Main 979

HUPMOBILE—1923 touring If you want transportation come in and see this car Renerts and Ebler Fair and Square 814 E Main St Main 1??

MAXWELL—

MAXWELL—1923 touring

BUICK—Brand new touring

OVERLAND—1922 touring

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO

211 E WOOD MAIN 1?60

MOLINE KNIGHT SEDAN—Good condition throughout 5 good tires A high grade used car with a lot of service in it Cash or terms Inquire at 74? Rogers Ave

OVERLAND—Roadster 192? model Extra fine mechanical condition Repainted Light truck body on rear for delivery purposes A combination passenger and a delivery car that is a real buy $100 down and balance monthly W. C Starr 530 N Main St Main 271

OVERLANDS—1924 touring very little mileage Cord tires real low price Also a 1922 touring at a bargain Wm Frede & Son Chevrolet Dealers 126 N Franklin Main 1718

SLI THOMPSON—For good light used cars a good variety to choose from Cash terms or trade 163 South Main street Main 1974

STUDEBAKERS—

STUDEBAKER—1924 special 6 sedan refinished and in excellent condition

STUDEBAKER—1923 special 6 touring Refinished and in fine shape

STUDEBAKER—1922 light 6 touring Refinished and in good condition

BUICK—1922 6 touring In good shape

BUICK—6 coupe Refinished and in good mechanical shape

SEVERAL OTHERS—Cheap

V M ELMORE & SON

232 S MAIN MAIN 56

REO MOTOR SALES BARGAINS—

APPERSON—An 18 model six cylinder touring Runs good Will sell cheap

BUICKS—1919 touring 1917 touring

FORDS—1923 coupe in A 1 shape Also a 1920 roadster and 1919 touring with starter

LEXINGTON—1917 six-cylinder touring.

GARDNER—1922 touring In best of condition Looks and runs fine

PAIGE—1919 six cylinder touring Runs good

REOS—1917 six-cylinder roadster 1916 four cylinder roadster 1917 four cylinder touring 1916 big 6 touring 1917 big 6 touring all these cars are in good condition

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Automobiles For Sale. 11

WILLYS OVERLAND—... special Winter enclosure ... tires Many extras Bargain 1300 Williard Ave

CLEAN UP SALE ON USED CARS—

35 LATE MODELS—To select from Your old car taken in trade Easy terms

E G HEDGES

332 E MAIN ST MAIN 535

USED CARS—All ... bought sold and exchanged Adams Used Car Mkt ?3 N Main Main 2? 1

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

FORD TRUCK—1 ton All condition Also touring ... 315 N Jackson

FORD TRUCK—192? model $1.. Gus Waverzin 303 W Main Main 4690

REO TRUCK—For sale Bachman Co 2?3 N Main Street

Auto Accessories 13

PARTS—For all makes of cars new and used Shaw's ... N Franklin ...

TIRES SACRIFICED—30x3 and 30x3½ for only $3 All larger sizes $4 50 If one of these used tires proves unsatisfactory within one year return with receipt and get another at half price Used Tire Store 223 East Eldorado Open from 7 a m to 8 p m

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Service Offered. 18

BOILERS—Pipes furnace parts welded and repaired Decatur Welding Co. 1217 East Eldorado Main 6901

GUN AND LOCKSMITH—better work quicker and cheaper My work done at home ... record ... Decatur ... proof Also will buy ... G G Rupert 2.4 W Spring St

RUGS—Made from your old ingrain carpets and carpet rags Pfiester Rug Works 713 E Lincoln Main 6578.

Building—Contracting. 19

BUILDING CONTRACTS—Wanted and hardwood floors laid by a contractor who is expert at this work Fairview ?.5

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

RUGS CLEANED SHAMPOOED SIZED—

OUR PROCESS—Removes all doubt as well as dirt. Try it.

MEREDITH CLEANING CO

320 30 E CERRO GORDO. MAIN 205-206

Dressmaking—Millinery. 21

DRESSMAKING—Children's clothing caps and ... a specialty Reasonable ... N Main

SEWING WANTED—Plain and fancy ...

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

HAIR WORK—All hair accessories made from your cut hair or combings Mrs Wolfington ... W ... Main ...

LEARN MARCEL WAVING—And beauty culture new class Dec 1 enroll now Mrs Heller's Beauty School 136 South Water ground floor

MARCELLING—Fifty cents open Saturday evening and Sunday morning Call Main 4040—J or 3117 East Eldorado

MARCELLING—50 cents Open Saturday evening ... 781 or 1362 N Main

MARCELLING—50c shampooing 50c Red Star Barber Shop 719 N Water Open evenings Work guaranteed Main ...

MARCELLING—50 shampoo with rinse ... $1 ... an hour Fairview ... W Packard

LOWELL RUFF—Marcelling the Hair cut ... Main ... N Water

Insurance. 23

ILLINOIS BANKERS LIFE—Writes $5 000 at age 50 years for $103 15 Call J W MacNeil Dist Agt Decatur Ill County ... P O Box 7.1

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

BIG VAN LOADS—$6 00 smaller jobs $1 00 up Trunks etc 50c Estimates given on storage and packing Main 319 527 N Union Davis Storage Moving

KENNARD TRANSFER—Baggage and moving Overland hauling a specialty We'll save you money Main 683

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621 NORTH MAIN ST

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MEREDITH COMPANY

320 330 E CERRO GORDO MAIN 205 206

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

PAPER CLEANING—Also painting plaster patching and paper hanging good references Call Adam Lage Main 711

PAPERHANGING—And painting wanted Work guaranteed Prices reasonable Harry Black Main 7311

PAPERHANGING—By a practical man T A Baker 20?? N Church Main 2081

Professional Services. 28

PRINCE, DR A E—

Of Springfield Ill will see his eye ear nose and throat patients in Decatur the 1st and 3d Tuesdays of each month at Dr Tobey's office 850 Standard Life Bldg

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BREAKFAST SET—Six piece [illegible] [illegible] her furniture [illegible] Water Main 4349

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CHRISTMAS PHOTOGRAPHS FREE—To increase [illegible] now we give with each order one big print value $3 00 Wasson Studios Decatur Drug Bldg

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ELECTRIC SWEEPER VAC—Do not purchase a sweeper until you have had a sweeper [illegible] demonstrated 12 months to pay Call Main 1 Illinois Power & Light Corporation

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ELECTRIC WASHERS—The Haag is the ideal electric washer for the small home and its price of $125 makes it the greatest washer value on the market $5 down delivers it then pay $10 per month Wm Gushard Co

FELT SLIPPERS—For women Ladies [illegible] All colors $1 50 values 70c and [illegible] Gebhart Co

FLOWERS—Say It with Flowers this Christmas Daut Bros Florists 1[illegible] East Prairie Main 733

FLOWERS—Telegraphed to any point in the country Order early Kellogg & Sons Florists 316 N Main

FLOWERS—The ideal Christmas gift We have lovely potted and cut flowers [illegible] 402 North Water Main 751

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Gifts for Her. A

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MATTRESSES—Give her a high grade mattress Factory prices Decatur Mattress Factory 102 N Water M 1811

NASH SEDAN—Advanced six [illegible] for the family four wheel brakes $1 60[illegible] Nash Motor Sales 241 South Main

OAKLAND SEDAN—We suggest a new Oakland for her Christmas L G Hedges 342 E Main St Main 738

PEARL NECKLACES—[illegible] Buy her [illegible] indestructible pearl Lengths [illegible] inches [illegible] Martin's Watch Shop 140 N Main St

PHONOGRAPHS—[illegible] ball or Columbia phonographs $1[illegible] to $[illegible] Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

PILLOW CASES—Stamped on good quality 42 inch tubing to [illegible] for embroidery and scallops Pair $1 Linn & Scruggs

PIN CUSHIONS—In [illegible] trimmed with [illegible] lace and flower $1 Linn & Scruggs

POTATO STICKERS—[illegible] box [illegible]

POWDER BOXES—[illegible] that is different $ Linn & Scruggs

PRETTY CHRISTMAS THINGS—At Mrs Hell[illegible] Shop gifts which women [illegible] 130 S Water ground floor Main 164

REO LOAN—Twentieth Century model sedan [illegible] $1[illegible] is a Christmas gift to enjoy 365 days a year costs no more than an open car in the quality field of the Reo Ask us for a demonstration Reo Motor Sales Co

REVIEW SUBSCRIPTION—A thoughtful Christmas gift for out-of town friends [illegible] will appreciate up to the minute news from Decatur

SALT & PEPPER SETS—In blue and gold lustre [illegible] In shape of [illegible] to [illegible] cents Linn & Scruggs

SILK HOSIERY—A sale on women's pure silk [illegible] hose All color today $1 39 H S Gebhart Co

STATIONERY—Makes an acceptable gift $1 [illegible] $1 [illegible] per box Mrs Erwin's [illegible] Main St

STATIONERY—[illegible] fancy boxed stationery 4 sheets and [illegible] Linn & Scruggs

TEA TOWELS—[illegible] for outline [illegible] on white [illegible] and blue [illegible] hemmed ends 4 for $1 Linn & Scruggs

TOASTERS—Electric [illegible] device for turning the toast $[illegible] value [illegible] Decatur Drug Co

TOASTERS—Get an electric toaster for mother or sister prices from $5 to $9 Fex Electric Co 114 East William

TOILET SETS—You will save money on your toilet sets if you purchase them at Frankel's 403 N Water

VICTROLA—Make her happy with a gift that will give pleasure for years [illegible] genuine Victrola Terms made to suit your pocketbook Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St Main 315

VICTROLAS—Give her a Victrola a lasting gift that is always appreciated a special payment plan for Christmas Victrolas Linn & Scruggs Fourth floor

WILLYS KNIGHT—Parked in front of [illegible] Christmas morning is a gift that will please the whole family Phone for a demonstration W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 2[illegible]

WRITING DESKS—Spinet type [illegible] popular for the well appointed home a splendid gift for her F M Meridith Co 3[illegible] East Cerro Gordo street

Gifts for Him. B

ACCESSORIES FOR THE MOTORIST—He [illegible] car he will appreciate a windshield spotlight or a heater for the car Do your Christmas shopping at W C Starr 530 N Main St Home of the Overland and Willys Knight

BATH ROBES—Flannel $8 50 to $1[illegible] Saltz Bros [illegible] N Water

BATTERIES—[illegible] batteries [illegible] Storage [illegible] $16 to $[illegible] Also Burgess dry batteries [illegible] Knickerbocker On Lincoln Square Main [illegible]

BONDS—Safe yielding a good return of [illegible] worth [illegible] L Rogers & Co 438 Standard Life Bldg Main 6201

CHRISTMAS CLUB CHECK—Next year is sure to win Any plan small or large payments Citizens National Bank, The Home of Savings

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Open a Christmas savings account for him at the Farmers State Bank & Trust Company

CIGARS—After all nothing satisfies like good cigars Put up in special Christmas boxes of 25 cigars Mapacula 10c $[illegible] per box [illegible] box of [illegible] $1 85 [illegible] wood box of [illegible] $1 [illegible] Thompson [illegible] sold at all leading stands Chodat Edie Co [illegible]

CIGARS—He is used to Grand [illegible] give him a box for Christmas O E Marsh [illegible] Broadway Main [illegible]

CIGARS TOBACCO AND PIPES—Full line clear Havana and domestic cigars cigarets and smoking tobacco in holiday packages William Demuth & Co pipes cigar and cigaret cases and tubes in imported pipes we handle Alfred Dunhill and Sassieni London make Headquarters for Christmas buyers for the smoker John Spotts 112 Merchant

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DIAMONDS—Unredeemed watches and diamonds Small deposit will hold any article Abe's Reliable Loan Bank 134 Merchant

DRESSING GOWNS—Of fine rich silk and corduroys Very acceptable and practical $1[illegible] up Saltz Bros 225 N Water

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GLOVES—Warm lined make a wonderfully useful present A fine assortment from $1 50 to $6 Saltz Bros 225 N Water

GULBRANSEN REGISTERING PIANO—We suggest you look at our window It describes the features of the world known Gulbransen Registering Pianos It's different See this window Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St Main 315

HANDKERCHIEFS—Fancy colored hand kerchiefs imported from Ireland 50 cts each Saltz Bros 225 N Water

HOSE—Wool hose 75c $1 and $1 50 Saltz Bros 225 N Water

HOSIERY—Give them Real Silk guaranteed hosiery Call our representatives J F Wilmeth or A. M Hartley Main 6144

MUFFLERS—$3 50 Imported Scotch mufflers Special holiday price $1 85 Saltz Bros 225 N Water

PAJAMAS—Soisettes satins silks Solid colors trimmed with frogs A desirable gift $2 50 up Saltz Bros. 225 N Water

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Gifts for Him. B

POCKET BRUSH—[illegible] pocket brush with nickel top and [illegible] in [illegible] Gift [illegible]

RADIO—We have the [illegible] radio sets [illegible] Neutrodyne Day Fan and Atwater Kent Prices [illegible] anyone Fex Electric Co 114 East William

RADIO TUBES—$[illegible] volt [illegible] $3 00 [illegible] Main [illegible] & Radio Shop 71[illegible] N Main

REVIEW SUBSCRIPTION—Send him the Review He will like the news from the old home town

SHAEFFER LIFE TIME PENS—One of the best fountain pens made The gift that will last him a lifetime $8 75 Decatur Drug Co

SHIRT—[illegible] or shoes warm overcoat [illegible] new suit Bayard's [illegible] Store of Friendly Credit 215 N Main St

SILK SHIRTS—Broad cloth and poplin [illegible] and white $2 25 values $1 [illegible] H S Gebhart Co

SMOKING SETS—Contain pens razors shaving sets [illegible] gifts every man likes Harding's Drug Store 1601 E Grand

SMOKING STANDS—He will be pleased with one of our beautiful smoking stands mahogany or wrought iron standards many styles from $1[illegible] up F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

ST[ROMBERG] CARLSON NEUTRODYNE—[illegible] a real [illegible] performer We handle [illegible] Stromberg Carlson line—[illegible] Order from Pe[illegible] Ebl[illegible] 314 East Main street

SUITS—While reading the Shop-o-Scope dont forget that Warren The [illegible] makes snappy clothes 1[illegible] Prairie

TIES—Silk and knit ties 50 [illegible] $1 [illegible] 134 Merchant

TIES—Silk and wool ties $1 Saltz Bros [illegible] N Water

WATCHES—Unredeemed gold watches [illegible] movement As low as $[illegible] Wm Rosenberg 1[illegible] S Water

Gifts for the Children. C

BABY RINGS—Something new—something different white green or yellow gold $1 50 to $[illegible] Frank Curtis Co 156 East Main street

BAND INSTRUMENTS—How happy [illegible] will be with a genuine Buescher sax—[illegible] Ludwig drum [illegible] Linn [illegible] Piano House 113 North Main St

BANJOS—Violins ukeleles saxaphones cornets etc Please your b[illegible] with a band instrument Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

BATTERIES—Get our box the famous Willard storage [illegible] better results with his radio Decatur Battery Service 317 East Main

BONDS—Invest in a bond for your boy or girl and provide them with a gift that [illegible] L Rogers & Co 438 Standard Life Bldg Main 6201

CANDY—Buy your Christmas candies and candy canes at the Candyland Confectionery [illegible] Main

CHRISTMAS CLUB MEMBERSHIP—Serves a double purpose Start them right Citizens National Bank The Home of Savings

CHRISTMAS PUPPIES—A real live companion for the kiddies Drs Brown & Hinkle [illegible]

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Start a Christmas savings account for your boy or girl at the Farmers State Bank & Trust Co

COASTER WAGONS—Ball bearing rubber tire disc wheels body of the best grade of hard wood [illegible] natural wood finish with red enamel top rails and trimmings [illegible] F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

DISHES—Make the little girl happy with a China Tea set In pretty designs 75 cts to $3 Linn & Scruggs Basement

DOLL CARTS—For the girl coaster wagons for the boy [illegible] Eldorado Furniture House [illegible]

DRUM—A drum outfit will make an ideal [illegible] all combinations may be made [illegible] variety of prices Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

ELECTRIC TRAINS—Get one for your boy this Christmas complete line of Ives trains Fex Electric Co 114 East William

RADIO RECEIVING SETS—For Christmas [illegible] from $1[illegible] to $[illegible] [illegible] Morehouse & Wells Co

RADIO SETS—Get a Crosley set Inexpensive and efficient Decatur Radio & Electric Shop 30 N Tisler

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SCOOTER—With disc wheel rubber tires [illegible] for the little girl or boy $1 [illegible] Linn & Scruggs Basement

TRAINS AND TRACK—Mechanical trains $1 [illegible] up to $[illegible] Electric trains $[illegible] up Just the thing for the boy's Christmas Linn & Scruggs Basement

TYPEWRITER—Splendid gift for the boy or girl in school All standard makes Decatur Typewriter Service Co [illegible] N Main

WATCHES—Give your boy a watch Elgin and Waltham jeweled movements in gold filled cases for $[illegible] and $[illegible] Martin's Watch Shop 140 North Main

Gifts for the Home. D

BATHROOM FIXTURES—Take your Christmas money and have complete bathroom fixtures installed in your home Smith & McDaniel 136 N Franklin M 5018

BRUNSWICK RADIOLA—The famous console model Brunswick with Radiola receiver built in phonograph records [illegible] radio programs at a turn of a lever make this a radio Christmas [illegible] be sure you see the Brunswick Radiola before you buy Wm Gushard Co Main 4[illegible]

CANDLESTICKS—[illegible] inches high mahogany finished felt on bottom By the pair $1 H S Gebhart Co

CHRISTMAS DAY—Will be more of a reality if you are in your own home See us for city and suburban property Camp & Emrich, 202 Neustadt Bldg Main 2[illegible]

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS—Potted plants and Christmas wreaths Daut Bros Florists 1[illegible] East Prairie Main 733

CHRISTMAS PHOTOGRAPHS—Solve 12 problems with the gift that only you can give your photograph So all can have skylight settings (always best) we open Sundays now Price reductions Wasson Studios Decatur Drug Bldg

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ELECTRIC ROOM HEATERS—Full size with heavy copper reflector Reliable heating element Special price $5 50 Decatur Drug Co

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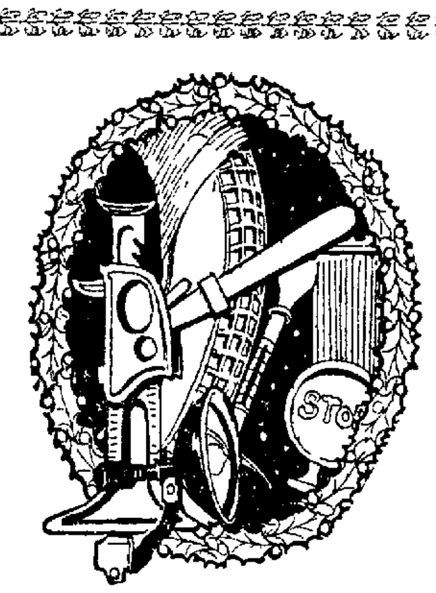

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Gifts for the Home D

FLOWER BASKETS—[illegible] Lard [illegible] Co [illegible]

FLOWERS—[illegible] home [illegible] the proper Christmas [illegible] without flowers Christmas wreaths [illegible] Kellogg & Son Florists 316 N Main

FURNACE—When your old furn[ace] [illegible] call us as all [illegible] Calo[illegible] Furnace Co 13 W William

FURNITURE—The most useful [illegible] gift of all [illegible] tables end tables mirrors [illegible] telephone stands and hundreds of other articles that will make Merry Christmas in the home [illegible] F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

FURNITURE REFINISHED—[illegible] to be [illegible] The K & S Repair Shop

GATELEG TABLES—A useful gift [illegible] [illegible] styles F M Meridith Co 320 East Cerro Gordo street

GULBRANSEN REGISTERING PIANO—[illegible] gift to [illegible] Emerson Piano House [illegible] N Main St Main [illegible]

HOMES—A home is a [illegible] lasting Christmas gift [illegible] through the Decatur Real Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg Main 903

HOUSE SLIPPERS—Something practical that will be appreciated All styles and colors [illegible] W J Crawford Inc [illegible] N Water

HUPMOBILE—[illegible] will [illegible] the best [illegible] your family [illegible] buy them a new Hupmobile All models [illegible] Order early Roberts & Eller [illegible] and Square 316 East Main street

LAKE FRONT LOTS—A [illegible] thing [illegible] lot in Lake Beach or Ridge [illegible] on Lake Decatur Along Elks [illegible] club home grounds Easy terms Colvin & Goddard Realtors over West Drug Store Main 4[illegible]

MANTEL CLOCKS—Beautiful mahogany mantle clocks equipped with two tone chime gong and reliable eight day movement Christmas special at $1[illegible] Frank Curtis Co 1[illegible] East Main street

MATTRESSES — Decatur Made combination felt or [illegible] $8 to $[illegible] Decatur Mattress Factory 102 N Water

MAXWELL—[illegible] Good Maxwell [illegible] the family will [illegible] in the comforts of this popular car Sales Auto Sales Co [illegible] W Wood

NASH SEDAN—Advanced six [illegible] five passenger four wheel brakes $1[illegible] Nash Motor Sale 241 South Main

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PLAYER PIANO—Get a player piano for the family to enjoy $[illegible] up standard [illegible] Decatur Music Shop 118 East William

RADIO SET—The famous Atwater Kent set is a most acceptable gift for the entire family standard endurable and [illegible] five-tube cabinet $160 five-tube open set $[illegible] Decatur Battery Service 317 East Main street

RADIO SETS—Atwater Kent $[illegible] up Crosley $18 50 up North Main Tire and Radio Shop 718 North Main

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SAVINGS ACCOUNT—Is a constant builder for anything in the home Citizens National Bank The Home of Savings

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SUPER HETERODYNE—Get a Radiola and you'll enjoy radio at its best $269 to $42[illegible] Auto Parts Co 1069 N Water

THOR ELECTRIC WASHER—Over 900 000 in use Make this a Thor Christmas for her Convenient terms Call Main 1 for demonstration Illinois Power & Light Corporation

TITLE TO YOUR HOME—Is a present best of all modern homes for Christmas as low as $100 down W D Gregg 620 Gushard Building Main 380

VICTOR RECORDS—Will play an important part in her Christmas spirit Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St Main 315

VICTOR RECORDS—Your friends will appreciate receiving some good records An inexpensive gift that everyone will appreciate receiving We deliver or pack and mail them for you Linn & Scruggs Fourth floor.

The SHOP-O-SCOPE

Gifts for the Home D

VICTROLA—[illegible] better [illegible] a genuine Victrola [illegible] have the [illegible] Emerson Piano House 143 N Main St [illegible]

VICTROLA—[illegible] gift nothing that could be appreciated more by your family than a Victrola and a nice collection of records [illegible] special [illegible] for Christmas Victrolas Linn & Scruggs

Dinner and Decorations. E

CAKES & DESSERTS—[illegible] fruit cake [illegible] [illegible] Nafzger [illegible]

CANDY [illegible] fresh [illegible] 411 N W[ater]

CHRISTMAS TREES From 2 to 15 feet [illegible] Now on sale at 411 N [illegible]

DRESSED [illegible] [illegible] W[ater]

NAFZGER'S BAKED GOODS—[illegible] [illegible] cake [illegible] [illegible] your grocer Nafzger [illegible]

FRUIT [illegible] candy [illegible] light [illegible] Kresge's

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms With Board 67

EDWARD ST N 1135—Nice [illegible] Fairview 1[illegible]

JULIAN ST N 16[illegible]—R[oom] and board [illegible]

MAIN S[T] N—Room and board private [illegible] M[ain] 334

MERCER ST N 5[illegible]—[illegible]

Rooms Without Board 68

BRUNSWICK HOTEL—Rooms with hot and cold water [illegible] weekly rates

DECATUR ST W 85[illegible]—Modern furnished room [illegible] On bus [illegible]

DECATUR ST W [illegible] furnished [illegible] connected bath private [illegible] or Gentleman [illegible] Fairview [illegible]

EDWARD ST S [illegible]—Nicely furnished [illegible] decorated warm front room Modern private [illegible] close in $[illegible] 00 [illegible] Main 1[illegible]

KING ST [illegible]—Sleeping rooms in nice modern home Fairview [illegible]

KING S[T] W [illegible] could be used for light housekeeping

MAIN S[T] [illegible] first floor private [illegible]

MAIN [ST] N 1[illegible]30—[illegible] modern [illegible]

MAIN ST W [illegible]—Modern front sleeping [illegible] Main 1[illegible]

MAIN ST W 540—Modern furnished sleeping room

MAIN ST W 11—Large modern front room suitable for two Main [illegible]

MAIN ST W 1183—Rooms and garage for rent

NORTH ST E 91[illegible]—Sleeping room in modern home Main 4[illegible]

NORTH ST W 601—Furnished room modern home suitable for [illegible]

OAK CREST 190—Nice furnished room in [illegible]

ST JAMES HOTEL—Rooms with hot and cold water Special weekly rates

WAT[ER] S[T] N 1[illegible]—Modern furnished room Meals served next door

WOOD ST W 600 BLOCK—Nicely furnished living and bedroom connecting with bath First floor front room Suitable for two Main 3867

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

CALHOUN ST N 333—Suite of 2 modern furnished rooms

CHURCH ST N 461—Modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping

CHURCH ST N 504—2 partly modern furnished front rooms

CONDIT ST E 4[illegible]2—2 furnished rooms on car line Main 5806

GREENWOOD AVE 546[illegible]—3 unfurnished rooms Reasonable

MACON ST W 1064—3 modern unfurnished rooms kitchenette ground floor Garage Adults Main [illegible]70

MAIN ST E 1104—3 modern unfurnished rooms Call after 3 p m

MAIN ST N 1043—2 modern unfurnished rooms

MAIN ST W 345—Modern furnished light housekeeping rooms Main 17[illegible]

MAIN ST W 1183—Rooms and garage for rent

MARIETTA E [illegible]—2 furnished rooms Ground floor. Private entrance

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

NORTH ST E 1[illegible]—2 modern furnished rooms [illegible] heat

NORTH ST E 19[illegible]—2 unfurnished [illegible] rooms modern [illegible] Main 6[illegible]12

NORTH ST [illegible]—3 unfurnished rooms [illegible] Sink in kitchen Also [illegible] kitchenette [illegible]

OAKLAND AVE N [illegible] furnished front rooms thoroughly [illegible] Main 1[illegible]

[illegible] ST N [illegible] large [illegible] kitchen privilege [illegible]

WA[TE]R ST S 340—Furnished [illegible] room ground floor private entrance

WHITMER ST [illegible] 8[illegible]—3 modern furnished rooms [illegible] 18[illegible]

WILLIAM ST W 193—Furnished light housekeeping rooms Call after 10 a m

WOOD ST W [illegible] unfurnished [illegible] Close in Call Main [illegible]

WEST [illegible]—3 well furnished [illegible] Main [illegible]

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats 74

BROADWAY N 1[illegible]—[illegible] Apply [illegible] Wabash avenue

DENNIS AVE N [illegible] apartment [illegible] Call M[ain] L Hursel Main [illegible]

MAIN ST N [illegible] [illegible] Main 801

MAIN ST [illegible]—[illegible] rooms [illegible] 40

MAIN [illegible] N 1[illegible]—Modern [illegible] furnished [illegible] 4 [illegible] month [illegible]

MORGAN N [illegible]—6 [illegible] modern Call Main 6[illegible]

ST JAMES HOTEL—2 room apartment Heat light and gas furnished

UNION ST N [illegible]—3 [illegible] Main [illegible]

WARREN ST N [illegible]—[illegible] room modern furnished apartment Call Main [illegible]

[illegible] ST—Cozy 3 room apartment to couple for 2 or 3 months [illegible] floor Everything furnished Main 1[illegible]

CLOSE IN—[illegible] a good street 6 room with sleeping porch heat water and [illegible] garage if wanted Also 5 room city [illegible] and water with garage Main 1[illegible]

APARTMENT—[illegible] over [illegible] book [illegible] Inquire second floor

[illegible] ROOMS—[illegible] Modern except [illegible] Inquire [illegible] N Jasper

Business Places For Rent. 75

MAIN ST N 340—Business room formerly occupied by the Gately Clothing Co size [illegible] suitable for retail business Will lease for five years See Geo Moeller Jr [illegible] Citizens Bank Bldg or 1[illegible] McClelland Ave

Houses For Rent. 77

CENTER ST E 3[illegible]—[illegible] room modern cottage Call at [illegible] Center Main [illegible]

CENTRAL AVE 3[illegible]—[illegible] room all strictly modern house Apply [illegible] N Water Main 41[illegible]8

COLLEGE ST N [illegible]—[illegible] rooms modern [illegible] garage $4[illegible] month Fairview 58[illegible]

CONDIT ST [illegible]—[illegible] room modern [illegible]

CORNER CUSHING AND MONROE New [illegible] room [illegible] bungalow [illegible]

EDWARD ST N 13[illegible]—[illegible] room modern [illegible]

ELDORADO ST [illegible]—3 room house [illegible]

FIFTH ST [illegible] 42[illegible]—[illegible] bungalow [illegible]

FOREST AVE W [illegible]—[illegible] room modern house $[illegible] per month Main 4[illegible]

GRANT AVE [illegible]—5 room cottage [illegible]

HENDERSON AVE [illegible]—[illegible] room gas water electricity $[illegible] Apply 114 [illegible]

LAWRENCE ST [illegible]—5 room [illegible] Main 3[illegible]

[illegible] room modern [illegible] Main 7909

MAIN S[T] [illegible] 2[illegible] [illegible] garage [illegible]

MAIN ST N 1[illegible]—[illegible] room bungalow [illegible]

MARIETTA ST E 1[illegible]—6 room house [illegible] water furnace $[illegible] [illegible] Inquire 1143 E [illegible] Main 39[illegible]

MERRILL AVE 118—7 room strictly modern bungalow Apply 4[illegible] Wabash Ave Main 447[illegible]

NORTH ST W [illegible]—[illegible] partly modern furnished house 7 rooms and reception room

OAKDALE BLVD—Fine six room bungalow [illegible] Furnished [illegible] Full lot Garage [illegible] per month Main 498

SHORT ST N [illegible] room house [illegible] Inquire [illegible] E Eldorado

WATER ST N 913—7 room modern [illegible]

WATER ST N 16[illegible]—5 room modern house Call Main 9019

WESTLAWN AVE—Fine five room bungalow [illegible] possession at once $30 per month Main 416

WOODFORD ST N [illegible]—4 room part modern house Apply 4[illegible] N Water Main 4478

[illegible] IN [illegible] room [illegible] Call Main [illegible]

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

FARM WANTED [illegible] acres for [illegible] from 80 to [illegible] acres of good farm land [illegible] First [illegible] call H B Byrne [illegible] N Water Fairview 661

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate. R

WILCHITE [illegible]—If you want to buy sell or exchange property of any kind see us 318 Citizens Bank Building Main 3009

WRIGHT W D—Real estate dealer city property and farm lands sold and exchanged 413 Millikin Building Main 68

Farms and Land For Sale. 83

FARM FOR SALE—Would you like to buy a farm that you could see [illegible] to double your money [illegible] Building Decatur Ill

160 ACRE FARM Well [illegible] Decatur [illegible] [illegible] you this right [illegible] East Prairie Main 68[illegible]

Houses For Sale. 84

CENTER E 51[illegible]—Well kept 4 room cottage on full lot with garage [illegible] home for small family Give us your offer Phone Main 1100

CHURCH ST N [illegible]—7 room all modern [illegible] bedrooms All newly decorated Full lot Three car garage $[illegible] 500 $1[illegible] down Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg Main 903

CUSHING AVE—5 room colonial bungalow Will take vacant lot on this Also new 5 room modern bungalow $4 7[illegible] $500 down J T Pierce 133 E Prairie Main 6862

DECATUR ST W [illegible]—9 rooms Many built in features Attic finished [illegible] W R Schroeder Fair 1957 or Main 48

DECATUR ST W 1300 BLOCK—7 rooms all modern Concrete basement Concrete drive and garage Full lot Very attractive terms Camp & Emrich 202 Neustadt Bldg Main 2[illegible]

DECATUR ST W 1[illegible]—A beautiful new [illegible] room bungalow Modern throughout Hardwood floors fireplace beautiful electric fixtures Walls decorated XXth Century furnace Concrete drive and garage We will make terms to suit you Jos. Lukey & Son, Main 6184 or 6333.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 84

[illegible]

Lots For Sale 85

[illegible]

Suburban For Sale 87

[illegible]

Real Estate For Exchange 88

NORTHWEST [illegible] bungalow [illegible]

Wanted—Real Estate. 89

WANT TO LIST [illegible] for [illegible] sell [illegible] N Main [illegible]

PROPERTY WANTED—We [illegible] property if the [illegible] proved selling system [illegible] buyers [illegible] Estate Co 717 Gushard Bldg [illegible] 903

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legal Notices. 91

ADJUSTMENT NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of A[illegible] M [illegible] deceased are notified and requested to attend the [illegible] [illegible] term [illegible] of the [illegible] Court of Macon county Illinois [illegible] for the purpose of adjustment thereof

Dated November [illegible]

[illegible]

JACK & BOGGESS [illegible] Attorneys

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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EXCHANGE

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E B Burn Realtor

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B B Burn Realtor

[illegible]

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[illegible]

C. N. Gorham & Son

Main [illegible] Main 408

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NEED SUPPORT FOR WORK AT PINES

Citizens Committee May Take Action.

Y. M. C. A. LEAVING

May Get Help from Community Chest.

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SEEK MORE MEN IN H. S. ATHLETICS

Auditorium Period Devoted to Subject.

[illegible]

ARREST TWO WITH STOLEN AUTOMOBILE

Trying to Trade It in on New Machine.

[illegible]

WOODMEN OF WORLD TO COME IN APRIL

State Convention to Be Held in Decatur.

The state convention of the Woodmen of the World of Illinois will be held in Decatur April 8 and 10 1925 in the circuit court room Commissioner Harry Pithiraff has been notified. Many delegates from all parts of the state will attend.

The Woodmen who attended the convention in Fairview park last year were so favorably impressed with Decatur and the hospitality shown them here that they were unanimous in selecting Decatur for their 1925 meeting place.

MARRIED

NEWBERRY-HEAPE

Miss Velma Newberry and Milton Heape, both of Farmer City were married Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Judge J. H. Miller in the court house in Decatur.

Basketball Tourney.

A Christmas basketball tournament will be played off during the Christmas vacation by the boys department of the Y. M. C. A. Twenty-eight teams already have signed up for the tournament.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Jester Lexington Ill. Dec. 11, a son in the Decatur and Macon County hospital.

SCHIKOWSKI FUND TO $444

Staley Fellowship Club Gives $50.

SCHIKOWSKI FUND.

Previously reported	$256 75
L. C. Bowen	1 00
Dale Bowen	1 00
Friend	1 00
Review Publishing Company Girls	7 00
C. T. Allen	1 00
Total	$267 75
Other gifts previously reported	$ 96 25
Staley Fellowship Club	50 00
Grand total	$444 00

Still the fund grows. Friends of Mrs. Adeline Schikowski whose son, Fred was the victim of a desperados shot are not going to let her suffer. More cash gifts have come in to The Review office and reports have been received of others that will come. The biggest gift reported Friday to be on the way is the $50 voted by the Staley Fellowship club. With this to come in, and the amounts already turned in the grand total of money raised for the stricken mother is $444.

The $50 raised by the men of The Review was reported several days ago. Not to be outdone by the men the girls of The Review started a subscription Friday and raised $7 for the fund. This was from among the girls of The Review Publishing company.

PETS MOURN DEAD MASTER

A very sad coon, several turtle doves and a hunting dog give dumb testimony of their grief for their master Fred Schikowski who was the victim of a desperados bullet during Thanksgiving day. These were Fred Schikowski's pets at his home 1419 North Railroad avenue.

Of the pets the most interesting is the coon which was brought as a puppy from North Dakota in the tire of Fred Schikowski's motorcycle last summer. He motorcycled up to North Dakota on a little vacation trip.

Whenever a stranger approaches these animals or birds they come out fully forward hoping it may be their master.

THEY SEEM TO KNOW

"It is hard to go out in the yard to feed them," said Mrs. Thurman Jones, Fred Schikowski's married sister, who is staying with her sick mother. "They seem to know that Fred is dead."

Fred Schikowski's hobby was animals and birds. He was an amateur taxidermist and several stuffed pheasants, prairie chicken, ducks and owls as well as a deer head proved his ability along this line.

Mrs. Schikowski is going to have to sell the pets she fears. It costs much a lot to feed them. But she hates to let them go and has said she would keep them as long as possible.

REVIEW BUREAU OF INFORMATION

Editor Review:

Question: What is the official date on which the president of the United States declared that war was over?

Answer: Warren G. Harding president signed the official declaration of peace July 2 1921. Later in the year Germany and the United States senate again ratified the declaration.

MEETINGS

Mystic Tie No. 350 Tribe of Ben Hur. Meeting Friday night at 7:30 in the Woodman hall. West Main street. Nomination of officers.

Decatur.

Seventh Street Viaduct.

A big improvement being put on in a big way by the present city administration is the Seventh street viaduct. This would never have been accomplished if it had not been for the support and cooperation financially and otherwise of the city council with the Wabash and Staley Manufacturing company.

The railroad and Staley company will be benefited, just how much it will be impossible to say. It is reasonable to assume that they will be benefited more than the amount of money they will contribute to the improvement.

On the other hand the public generally will get a great deal of benefit, certainly as much as its financial share of the undertaking.

Elimination of that grade crossing of the Wabash will be one of the best things done for that section of the city. It will furnish a safe thoroughfare over a large number of dangerous tracks.

Improvements of this kind indicate vision and enterprise and progress on the part of the city council. Some big things have been done in the year 1924, such as street paving and planning for sewers. These come along as a natural activity of the city council. The Seventh street viaduct is something more extraordinary and while no more worth while may be pointed to as being particularly commendable in a big year.

CATS MOVE OUT; DOGS COME IN

Pet Stock Show to Be Open All Day Sunday.

ATTENDANCE PLEASES

German Police Dog One of Big Features.

The cats moved out of the pet stock show Thursday night and Friday morning found all colors, sizes and varieties of dogs on the benches in their place. All of the rest of the show remains unchanged—that is, the pigeons, all canaries and other cage birds, goldfish, rabbits and bantams will remain on to keep the dogs company for the rest of the week.

A new feature of the show is that it will continue throughout Sunday this time, the dogs being there with all the other entries excepting cats until Sunday night.

WELL PLEASED

Officers of the show are well pleased with the attendance this year especially as compared with last year when the association lost money. Despite the fact that this year the admission charge for adults has been cut to 35 cents from 50 cents the gate receipts for the first three days this week have more than doubled the receipts for the first three days of the previous show.

There appears to be much class in the dogs that were being benched Friday morning. Of course the giant German police dog champion Bowke von Doben will be one of the outstanding features. He was scheduled for a man hunt exhibition at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon and at 7:30 Friday night will give an exhibition of fighting a man. This will be staged out in front of the armory where the show is located. He will repeat this same program at the same hours Saturday and Sunday.

PIGEONS

Awards made in the pigeon division of the pet stock show were as follows:

Homer pigeons—J. A. Leland first second cock, first second third hen, Nelson Cunningham third cock.

White racers—E. C. Howen first cock.

Blue racers—E. C. Howen first cock.

Square tails—Robert Marsh first second hen.

Racing homers—Robert Marsh first second cock, first young cock, first second hen, Voegel Brow fourth cock, Steiner second third and fifth cock and first and fourth hen, Andrew Brow sixth cock, third hen.

Jacobins and Lahtails—W. Swarts and J. E. Potter.

Birmingham rollers—Brown and Butler first and second old cock, first second and fourth old hen, M. P. O'Brien third old hen, first young cock, first young hen.

Tipplers—Amos Lobo first cock, first hen, H. Scott second cock.

Yellow muffed tumblers—M. P. O'Brien first second and third hen, first young cock, first second young hen.

Blue muffed tumblers—M. P. O'Brien first second old, first fourth hen, second young cock, first young hen, Amos Babb third fourth cock, second third hen, first young cock, second young hen.

White muffed tumblers and silver muffed tumblers—W. Swarts to M. P. O'Brien.

Helmet clean leg tumblers—M. P. O'Brien first fourth cock, second third hen, G. Taegel third, first hen, H. Scott second cock.

Any other clean leg tumbler—H. Scott first third hen, M. P. O'Brien second hen.

Black clean leg tumblers—Alexander to M. P. O'Brien.

White clean leg tumblers—H. Scott first second cock, first second hen.

Turbits—E. Pierce first cock.

Blue laced satinettes—E. Babb first cock, first second hen, first and second young cock, first young hen.

Best bird in show—M. P. O'Brien.

Best team—M. P. O'Brien.

Best display of Lizzbeins—J. P. Pierce.

AVIS

The last awards made in the cat division of the show as announced Thursday were as follows:

Tigers—Odd eyed female open winner—Mrs. Estelle Adams 946 East Wood. Mischief of Mussillon, blue female kitten second—Mrs. Frank Carnes Mussillon, O.

Reeks Jewel Bun, black male kitten first—F. H. Kerr Mechanics ville, Ia.

Hampstead Woodrow, red male open second—Louise Clark Decatur.

Any other tabby with white, never first—Mrs. F. M. Jones Decatur.

Hampstead Woodrow, red male novice Louise Clark Decatur second.

Skinnee, red male novice—Mrs. C. F. Hirst Decatur first.

Big Ben, red male kitten first—John Shipp Decatur.

Que Tea, red female open first and winner—Mrs. Allie Robinson Peoria.

Elinor Delores, first in red female novice, second in red female open class—Louise Clark Decatur.

Lucky, first and best neuter in the show—Mrs. J. P. Wheeler Decatur.

Mickey, cream neuter first—Mrs. Tom Gatchell Decatur.

Sunbeam Prince Albert of Mussillon first red male tabby—Mrs. Frank Carnes Mussillon, O. King Tut second—Mrs. Paul Stern Decatur. Sun Dial of Yalehurst third—Mrs. F. W. Gray Peoria.

King Tut first red male tabby—Miss Pauline Stern Decatur. Robinhood second—A. W. Philhower Mattoon.

MANY TIMES VICTOR

Carmelo Princess Aristocrat—Mrs. C. C. Stevens Edwardsville Ill. won trophies for best red tabby in show, best tabby in show and best kitten in show, also best red tabby four wins two in Decatur by same cat and same owner, also best red tabby three wins one in Chicago and three in class, also best red cat in show three wins one in Marion Ind.

Wilton of Hawthorne—Mrs. H. F. Jeffers, Springfield won trophies for best cat in show best silver in show best cat in show four wins two in Decatur best long haired cat in show (not imported) four wins two in Chicago not necessarily same cat but same owner best novice in show three wins two in Chicago not same cat but same breeder.

Que Tea—Mrs. Allie M. Robinson Peoria wins trophy for best solid red one win.

BANKS MAY GIVE ROBBER REWARD

County Organization Plans for Action.

Action similar to that of the bankers of Kane County, who are raising a $10,000 fund to be used as bounties for every bank robber killed, may be taken by Macon county bankers. Last month a protection committee, of which W. R. McGaughey of the Citizens National Bank of this city is chairman, was appointed by the Macon County Bankers' Federation to consider the matter.

This committee will have a report for the next meeting of the federation and is expected to recommend strong measures for safe-guarding banks in view of the recent renewal of bank robberies in Illinois.

End of I. T. S. Strike Near; Make Agreement

Men Compromise On Overtime Pay; Get Closed Shop and Drop Increased Pay.

MAY START SATURDAY

Word coming in from the various centers over the I. T. S. system where trainmen are voting on the proposed agreement to end the present strike, seems to indicate that the majority of the men will vote to go to work.

The committee to canvas the vote is expected to meet in Springfield Friday afternoon or Friday night. St. Louis men are known to be against the agreement. Others are reported to be for it.

The agreement is said to grant a closed shop, ten cents an hour for overtime and abandonment of ten cents an hour increase in regular pay. Neither side has announced officially the terms of the agreement.

Springfield Ill. Dec. 12—Awaiting formal decision of locals in six cities on the Illinois Traction system, spokesmen of both striking trainmen and the company predicted that traffic which has been paralyzed an entire week would be resumed tonight.

Terms of the compromise proposal submitted the locals at Staunton, Decatur, Peoria, Danville, Springfield and St. Louis will not be announced until all locals have voted. Lacking official confirmation, it was learned, today that the strikers had agreed to a modification of their demand for time and a half pay for overtime and also had yielded in their demand for ten cents an hour increase in pay.

ST. LOUIS MEN AGAINST PLAN

St. Louis Dec. 12—Striking St. Louis union trainmen of the Illinois Traction system the Post Dispatch said it had learned unofficially voted almost unanimously today against acceptance of a compromise agreement said to include a ten cents an hour allowance for overtime.

ORDER CARS TO BE READY FOR SERVICE

Edwardsville Ill. Dec. 12—Orders were received here today from Illinois Traction System headquarters at Springfield to start heating of passenger cars and to have equipment ready for operation late today. This was taken as an indication company officials expected termination of the strike by acceptance of the tentative agreement by the local unions.

While company and union representatives had agreed to withhold details of the agreement pending its formal acceptance, reports from Springfield were that the new contract would represent a compromise on overtime demands, the chief point at issue.

Time and one half had been asked for passenger service after nine hours and freight service after ten hours.

The employes it was learned virtually waived their request for ten cents an hour increase in wages, while the company withdrew its objections to the closed shop which already virtually existed.

START HEAT MAIN TO JUNIOR HIGH

Ditch Twelve Feet Deep in Places.

The new heat main from the boiler plant at the Central Junior High school to the high school is started Thursday morning and the work is progressing rapidly with the present favorable weather. The ditch across the school yard back of the boiler plant is twelve feet deep and the remainder will be six feet deep along Lidorado street.

The entire length of the main will be 600 feet. About 150 feet of ditch has already been dug and the entire work will be finished in two weeks weather permitting. The main will be six inch pipe with a four-inch return pipe. A base tile drawn will be laid first then the tile conduit and the asbestos lines steam conduit.

REPLACE OLD

The new main is being constructed to replace the old which has rusted out, and has given a great deal of trouble. E. Otto Heinz superintendent of heating and ventilating for W. F. Delahunty and Co. who have the contract for the project is in charge.

Mr. Heinz remarked on the slight frost in the ground at present only about three inches being encountered. "I guess we don't get the cold winters that we used to," said Mr. Heinz. "The ground hard freezes over six inches in thickness nowadays whereas I can remember its being frozen solid to a depth of twelve to eighteen inches in former years."

Few Willing To Aid Old Couples

Curley Haired Girls, with Dirty Faces, Popular.

People seem to hate to help old couples, said Miss Ada Niedermeyer secretary of the Social Service Bureau in mentioning the fact that a number of requests had been made of the bureau for names of families to whom Christmas baskets might be sent.

Last year the bureau cooperated in one way and another in some instances by giving money for the baskets in sending out about sixty baskets. Indications are this year that there will be need to send out even more than that.

SELDOM HELP THEM

"I have never been able to understand why no more interest could be taken in sending baskets to old couples or helping them. I would think that one who wanted to give $4 or $5 would be glad to help some worthy old couple who are now no longer able to earn anything but are keeping themselves together comfortably in a little home of one or two rooms and are making a brave fight in their struggle in life. It is seldom, however, that we can get one who is asking for the name of a family to whom a basket can be sent to consent to send one to an old couple like that.

EVEN ASK DIRTY FACES

"The request is for a widow with children and sometimes the specifications are more specific. The children must be little girls with curly hair and black eyes and even dirty faces are sometimes mentioned as an attraction but just say that we know a number of nice old couples or a clean old man that cannot earn his own living and we are sometimes told flatly that no interest is taken in the suggestion."

Small Roof Fire.

The fire department was called to the residence of Ralph Roney 535 West William street at 11:50 Friday morning. There was only a small roof fire.

CROSSING STEEL COST $4,200

Measured to One Sixteenth of An Inch.

A total of $4,200 for steel one is being expended by the I. T. S. company for the new rails and crossings being installed at the intersection of West North and North West streets where the east and west and north and south bound car line cross. Complete new crossings and turns are being installed of the heaviest rail than was used before and the wood block pavement at that corner will be replaced with new Decatur brick.

All of the old rail land is cut and fitted to within sixteenth of an inch before it is delivered on the job. After it is here the closer in fitting it said superintendent Pete Brillhart can give the measurements but it went all ways fit.

PUSY COUNCIL

This crossing is the busiest section in Decatur and is rapidly becoming of more importance commanded Mr. Brillhart. It is a big transfer point for all street car traffic in addition to the motor and interurban traffic that passes.

The old rails that were down were in very bad condition and the contract had been a source of trouble to the street car company for some time.

HEAVY CARS

Work on the repairs was started Thanksgiving day. Only five days have been lost since that time but now the work is progressing rapidly with car service interfered with to a minimum degree. Trains the cars were being detoured but Mr. Brillhart expected to have the cars to resume regular traffic by mid afternoon. With the interurban cars not running it has been possible to hurry the work considerably in the last week.

L. F. BOSS HEAD OF TRAFFIC CLUB

Mid-Winter Meeting Set for Jan. 15.

Upon the recommendation of the board of directors announced last week the Decatur Transportation club elected officers for the ensuing year in its annual meeting held Thursday night in the Y. M. C. A. annex. Fifty or more members of the club were present more than half of them from out of town.

The officers for 1925 were elected as follows:

President—L. F. Boss.

First vice president—M. M. Cooper.

Second vice president—D. C. O'Dell.

Secretary—Robert E. Watt.

Assistant secretary—H. B. Howenstine.

Treasurer—Z. C. Snell.

Publicity agent—M. J. Brion.

Directors—W. H. Barnes, L. C. Bundy, T. C. Burwell, J. E. Dooley and J. W. Beckum.

SHOW CANADIAN PICTURES

After the dinner four reels of motion pictures were shown of Canadian mountain and lake pictures.

Short addresses were made by T. C. Burwell retiring president who has served three years in that capacity and two as secretary, by George Morgan retiring treasurer and M. M. Cooper retiring secretary. L. F. Boss president elect spoke briefly asking the cooperation of the membership for this year's officers. D. C. O'Dell and George Layher also spoke briefly.

A committee was named to select testimonial gifts for T. C. Burwell and George Morgan, retiring president and treasurer respectively who have seen the club almost treble its membership within the last few years.

A mid-winter meeting to be held Jan. 15 and at which a speaker of national prominence will be heard, is being planned.

POULTRY EMBARGO HITS THE WABASH

Handles Great Quantities to New York.

MORE GRAIN LOADING

New I. C. Work to Cost $124,000.

The sudden embargo slipped on live poultry by the state of New York against Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and several other western states will have some slight effect on Wabash movement of this stuff through here but not enough to be noticeable for the reason that a lot of the poultry going through now is dressed poultry. The man does not affect the dressed stock.

While one may hardly realize it yet the Wabash is probably one of the very largest if not the largest mover of this poultry from the west and southwest to the eastern markets principally New York. During the month from Nov. 12 to Dec. 12 the road has handled 1627 cars of poultry, live and dressed through Decatur.

HEADS WEDNESDAY

Of course this includes the period before Thanksgiving when so much was moved and now the Christmas rush has started with forty-one carloads Wednesday and thirty-seven carloads Thursday. Nearly all of this is dressed stuff.

Business on the Decatur division of the Wabash Thursday was extremely heavy, reaching 2034 loads and 1082 empties in eighty trains. This is the first time the loads have shot over the 2000 mark for several weeks.

Grain loading continues to increase on the division and amounted to more than sixty carloads Thursday.

To Cost $124,000

The work authorized by the I. C. in putting down one mile of double track from South Junction south across the Sangamon river bridge to Decatur Junction is to cost $124,000 according to the estimates. The deck of the bridge will be removed but otherwise the bridge is already to take care of a double track.

To Move News Stand

The Union News company stand in the Wabash station is going to move Saturday temporarily while some new fixtures will be installed in place of the old ones. The stand will be remained closed so as to give more show case space and room for the public. It will also have many modern features. Temporarily the company will transact business in the little stand over in the town, ex-postmaster Hight is in charge of it.

Railroad Notes

Engine failures on the Decatur division of the Wabash during the month of November amounted to 11, one of the lowest marks ever scored by the division. Seven of these were on passenger trains and caused an average delay of twenty five minutes while nine in freight caused an average delay of sixty six minutes.

The C. I. and W. had a solid train of thirty one cars of feed through Decatur from the west Friday morning. The train came from Peoria on the C. and A. and was turned over to the C. I. and W. at Springfield.

L. C. Stark C. I. and W. freight house clerk who has been off duty several days due to an abscessed tooth returned to work Friday morning.

Engineer Jack Morris of the Wabash freight service out of Decatur is marked laying off.

Fireman Young of the Wabash south passenger pool is marked off injured. Young was scalding down to pick up an order from an operator at one of the south bound stations. It was dark and the operator's message hoop struck Young in the face causing a bad cut or two.

Due to a lot of freight business in the Decatur yards of the Wabash Friday two extra yard engines were being used.

AUDIT OF CHEST READY TUESDAY

Meeting to Be Called to Discuss Future.

The complete audit of the books of the Community Chest has not yet been made owing to the illness of Roy Fishelman. It is expected that it will be finished by next Tuesday Dec. 16 however.

On that date a meeting of the executive committee of the Community Chest will be held. The business of the meeting will include the rendering of a complete report on the recent campaign and suggestions for the conduct of the Chest during the coming year.

It is the intention of the executive committee to call a general meeting of the trustees and all contributors to the Chest within a few days to discuss the future of the organization. As one of the officers put it—everyone who made a donation is a stockholder in the organization and should be interested enough to attend such a gathering and give his suggestions as to affairs concerning the Chest.

To Reduce Prices

Prices on articles for sale at the rummage sale being conducted by the Mothers club of the Oakland school in the room at 710 East Eldorado street will be greatly reduced Saturday. Practical articles and also Christmas gifts will be on sale.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Milton Heape, Farmer City	21
Velma Newberry, Farmer City	19
John H. Sharp, Peoria	42
Mamie M. Papineau, Peoria	41

SCRAPS OF NEWS

PARK ENGINEER HERE

An engineer from the [illegible] Myron H. West of Chicago [illegible] been engaged by the Decatur Park District to plan [illegible] was in Decatur this week. He made a topographical survey of Nelson Park and the driveway [illegible] Chicago with [illegible] Thursday.

SCOUT HIKE

A hike will be [illegible] to Kennedy hill [illegible] Saturday. A [illegible] to take [illegible] wished that [illegible] go on the hike.

LAKE LEAFS

The lake leafs [illegible] was [illegible] mark.

CASTLE SHANNON

The Methodist church [illegible] town will serve [illegible] supper Saturday evening [illegible] Masonic Hall. [illegible] public is invited.

PLACE NEW [illegible]

Work was started [illegible] creosoting new poles [illegible] Decatur. A [illegible] and L was [illegible] making the excavation [illegible] will be installed [illegible] line from Broadway [illegible]

WITHDREW ALLEGATION

T. D. McCord [illegible] application [illegible] of the [illegible] soon as it became [illegible] was a candidate [illegible] the position [illegible] of supervisors and [illegible] application. At the [illegible] applicant he did not [illegible] Gelford wanted [illegible]

HAD PRIZE WINNER

Ward McCoy of Decatur [illegible] prize winning cockerel in the [illegible] contest. Walter Lockington [illegible] Shelby county [illegible] Decatur [illegible]

VIADUCT ENGINEER IN CONFERENCE

Brings Estimate of Materials Needed.

[illegible]

MORE DONATONS BY GOOD FELLOWS

Money to Go for Christmas Baskets.

With [illegible] good fellows [illegible] Christmas [illegible] the purchase of [illegible] Friday [illegible] A. M. gave $10 and [illegible] donated $[illegible]

A very [illegible] the purchase of [illegible] toys may send [illegible] social service bureau [illegible] citizens bank.

POULTRY EMBARGO LITTLE FELT HERE

Most Shipments From Here Are Dressed

Decatur poultry [illegible] affected very little by the embargo law which New York has placed on Illinois, it was learned yesterday. Kearns manager of Swift and company [illegible] This law affects the shipment of live birds [illegible] state and is Swift's shipment of dressed chickens they will [illegible] loss which [illegible] shipment of live chickens.

"It is necessary for us to be very careful about the [illegible] we buy," said Mr. Kearns. "The farmers and [illegible] should realize that [illegible] being very good [illegible] in order to avoid [illegible] disease."

Mr. Kearns said that [illegible] is probably some [illegible] It is hard to tell exactly [illegible] disease is.

W. G. M'CULLOUGH IN ACCIDENT

Autos Collide on Road North of Heyworth

W. G. McCullough had a accident Wednesday when an automobile collided with his car and smashed a fender and the left front wheel. Mr. McCullough was driving on a road three miles north of Waplella when he was met by a man driving an Overland car. Just as the man in the Overland drew near Mr. McCullough who was driving a Cadillac his wheels struck a frozen rut throwing the car against the McCullough car.

No heavy damage was done and no one was injured.

LEGION STARTS ON NEW CLUB ROOMS

Movable Partition to Be Put in Armory.

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SUPERVISORS SHUT DOWN ON DONATIONS

Refuse to Reconsider Road Program.

DISCUSS HARD ROADS

Say Bond Issue Vote Only At General Election

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